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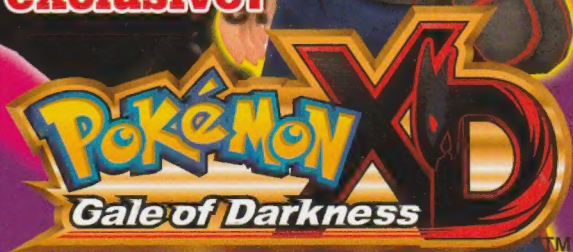
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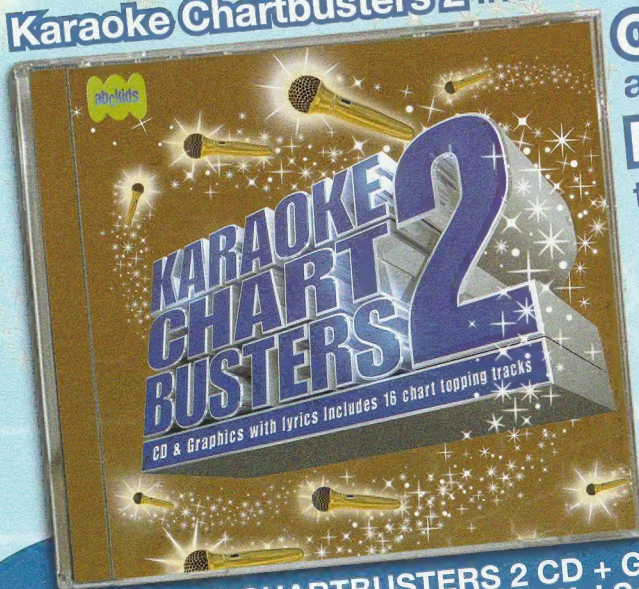
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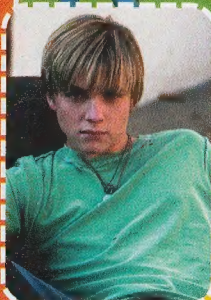


# WELCOME



**Hi DMAG dudes,**

What you have in your hands is another brilliant issue of DMAG. It's full of info on chocolate factories, dolphins, celebrities, dinosaurs, robots and all things gross – yes, everything you could possibly want to know (except how to win Lotto). And even though we know it's good, we'd like it to be even better – and that's where you come in. Just read the questions below and email your ideas to me at [dorothy@dmag.com.au](mailto:dorothy@dmag.com.au). In the subject line of the email, make sure you type: DMAG reader quiz.



- 1) What's your favourite story in this issue?
- 2) What's your LEAST favourite story?

3) How old are you?

4) Is there anything else you'd like in DMAG?

5) What freebies (like the lollies, trading cards etc) would you like to get with DMAG?

Thanks for your help!

*Dorothy*

## DMAG out and about



**Are you a social butterfly?** Then maybe you've been to one of these events –

Science in the City at the Australian Museum in Sydney or the *My Scene Goes Hollywood* Premiere in Melbourne – check out our pics!

And where will the DMAG cameras be this month? Kids Universe October 4 see [www.kidsuniverse.net.au](http://www.kidsuniverse.net.au)





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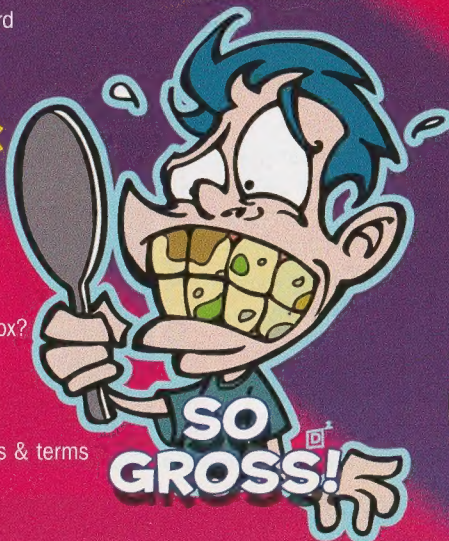


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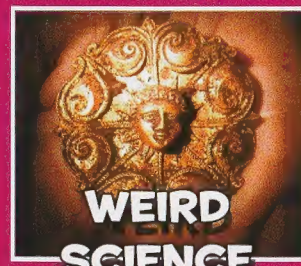
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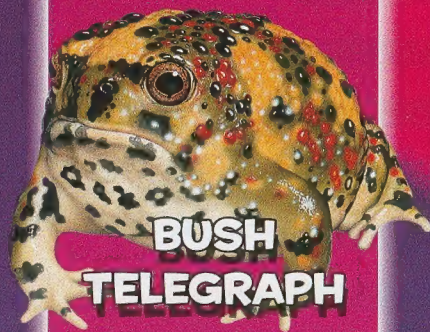
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# DUDES NEWS

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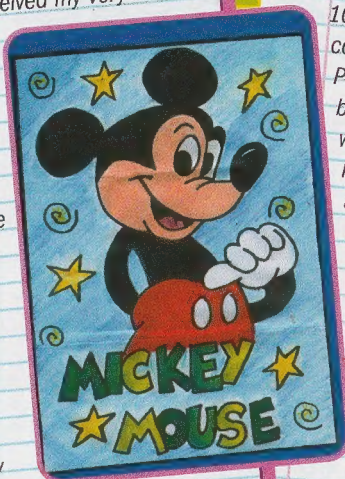


## DEAR DMAG,

My name is Kirtika and I received my very first issue of DMAG and I was really impressed! I've never seen a magazine with so many competitions and interesting articles to read. I love doing the puzzles and reading all the jokes and I'd like to thank you for the special little gifts that come with the magazine. DMAG is the best!

## FROM KIRTIKA

P.S. I hope you like my picture that I drew of my favourite cartoon character, Mickey Mouse. (Ed. - it's fantastic!)



## HI DMAG,

My name's Georgia McCallum and I am 10. I really love your mag it is so cool. I really like all the Harry Potter stuff. I enjoy Harry Potter because of all his adventures with

Hermione and Ron. I also love things to do with under the sea.

That's why I have done a picture of a green sea turtle. I hope you like it.

## YOURS GEORGIA.

P.S. DMAG rox the world!



## HEY DMAG,

My name is Faith and my favourite T.V. show is SpongeBob Squarepants so I've drawn a picture of SpongeBob for you. Hope you like it. Your mag rox!

## FROM YOUR NO. 1 FAN, FAITH!

## DEAR DMAG,

Hi my name is Stacey Taylor, I love your mag, it rocks. My favourite part was Bootsy's pet page but now I like the Potter Theories. I love entering your comps and writing you letters, I hope you like the picture I drew for you of Simba off the Lion King.

## CYA LATER FROM STACEY TAYLOR



## DEAR DMAG,

Hi, I'm Helen and I'm 12. I think that your magazine is the best! Wait a minute! I know that your magazine is the best! That is why I wrote a little poem just for you. Also want to say a big "thank you" for making DMAG so cool, educational and worth reading! ROCK ON!

## DMAG POEM

**DMAG has loads of stuff,  
Different celebrities like Hilary Duff.  
There's a lot of cheats and puzzles to  
do,**

**Like crosswords, word finds and  
mazes too.**

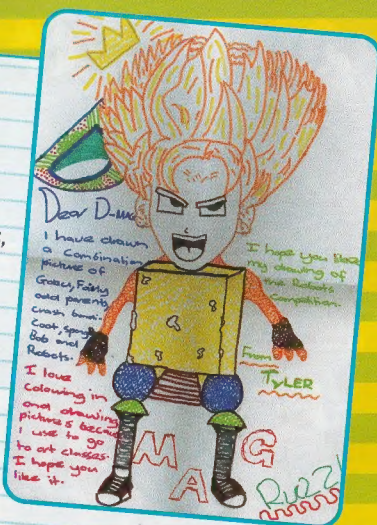
**There are heaps of competitions for  
me to try,**

**That makes this mag worthy to buy.  
The things in here are so much fun,  
That's why DMAG is #1!**

## DEAR DMAG,

I have drawn a combination picture of Goku, Fairly Odd parents, Crash Bandicoot, SpongeBob and Robots. I love colouring in and drawing pictures because I used to go to art classes. I hope you like it.

**FROM TYLER**



## DEAR DMAG,

My name is Lachlan Hamilton of Caninvale WA Perth. This is my picture of the Thing.



## Pet of the Month

### Hi Guys!

Want to help save animals? Then why not join the RSPCA? You'll get sent this wonderful Paw Prints magazine, which is full of animal stories. If you're not able to join, then send us in a pet photo, if



your pic is published in DMAG, you'll get Paw Prints for FREE! Yay!



Meet Jade Tunis' dog, Lucky. He's only seven weeks old in this photo. Jade says he is very playful and cute.

## DEAR DMAG.

My name is Kirsty and I am 13 years old. I love your mag, it totally rocks!!! Some of the things I like to read are Wild Zone, comics, D'news, Weird Science, Pop Gossip and Celebrity. I also like the comps, they are awesome along with the jokes. I love your mag so much, it's so terrific.

**FROM ONE OF YOUR #1 FANS, KIRSTY**

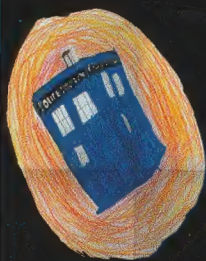


# ARTISTS

**CHECK OUT  
DMAG'S ARTISTS  
THIS MONTH!**



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By Renae Papalexiou 11 yrs



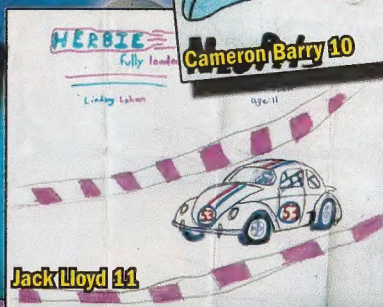
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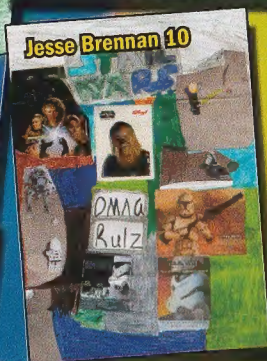
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**Saachi Kepi 11**



**Jesse Brennan 10**



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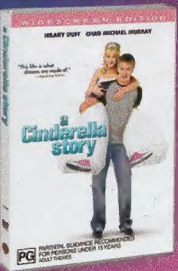
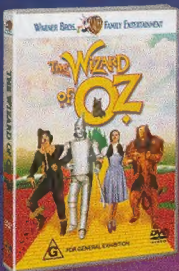
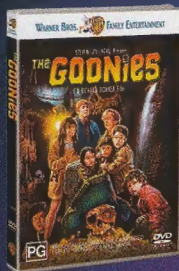
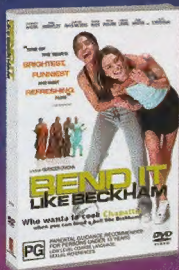
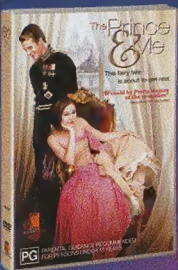
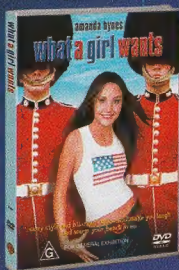
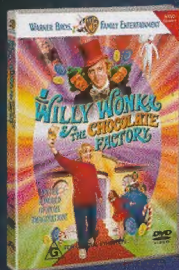
To win a set of these sparkling Faber-Castell Watercolour Pencils, send us your drawing. If it's printed, you'll win! **Send your drawing to DMAG Artists, PO Box 321, Terrey Hills NSW 2084.** See page 98 for terms and conditions.



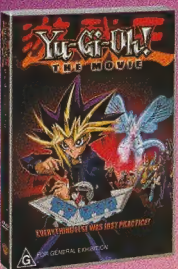




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WHAT'S GOING ON...

# OCTOBER

Five **MUST DO** things this month ...



Practice your jelly sculpting! Aeroplane Jelly is running a competition, for details and some free jelly, e-mail [neredith@marketmaker.com.au](mailto:neredith@marketmaker.com.au)

Learn how to make a Jack O'Lantern for Halloween. See [www.pumpkincarving101.com](http://www.pumpkincarving101.com)



Go get a dog! If you can't, then how about getting a *See-More the Seeing Eye Dog* Beanie Kid? A dollar from each Beanie Kid sold goes to Seeing Eye Dogs Australia.

## Toon-O-Scope

### Star of the month Libra

**September 22 – October 23**

Are you a Libran like Omi? Omi is one of four fearless warriors protecting Shen Gong Wu from Wuya the witch. As a Libran, Omi is a natural peacemaker with an innate sense of harmony.

Like most Librans, he can be oversensitive, but he's also affectionate, likeable, and always willing to seek goodness and truth in life!



Check out *DMAG's So Gross* book –in bookstores October. And if you're in Sydney, get your copy signed at the Kid's Universe Festival October 4. See [www.kidsuniverse.net.au](http://www.kidsuniverse.net.au)

Go on a picnic with your Teddy bear! The Teddy Bears' Picnic is



on October 16. See [www.chw.edu.au](http://www.chw.edu.au).

Catch your Cartoon Network Toon-O-Scope Fridays at 4pm and Saturdays at 11.30am.



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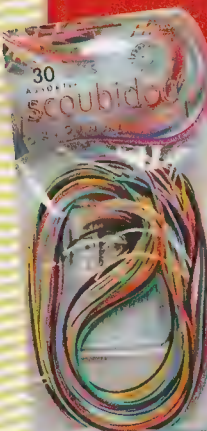


Want to know what's hot and

## Do you Scoubidou?

**I**f you haven't seen these fantastic plastic strands by now, you must have been living on Mars! They come in heaps of brilliant colours, even glow-in-the-dark, and you just knot 'em up and turn 'em into rings, bracelets and all kinds of cool figures. We've been experimenting at

OMAG to bring you the latest and greatest Scoubidou techniques — here's something to get you started.



## Set sail with K'NEX

**A**h, life as a pirate on the high seas, there's nothing like it, eh? Wind in your hair, parrot on your shoulder, salt-scum under your eyepatch... All you need now is a towering ship! The new K'NEX Pirate Ship Park builds a pirate ship swing ride complete with realistic decorations, four excited riders and, get this — electronic screaming sounds. Ahoy!





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## Stop or I'll shoot!



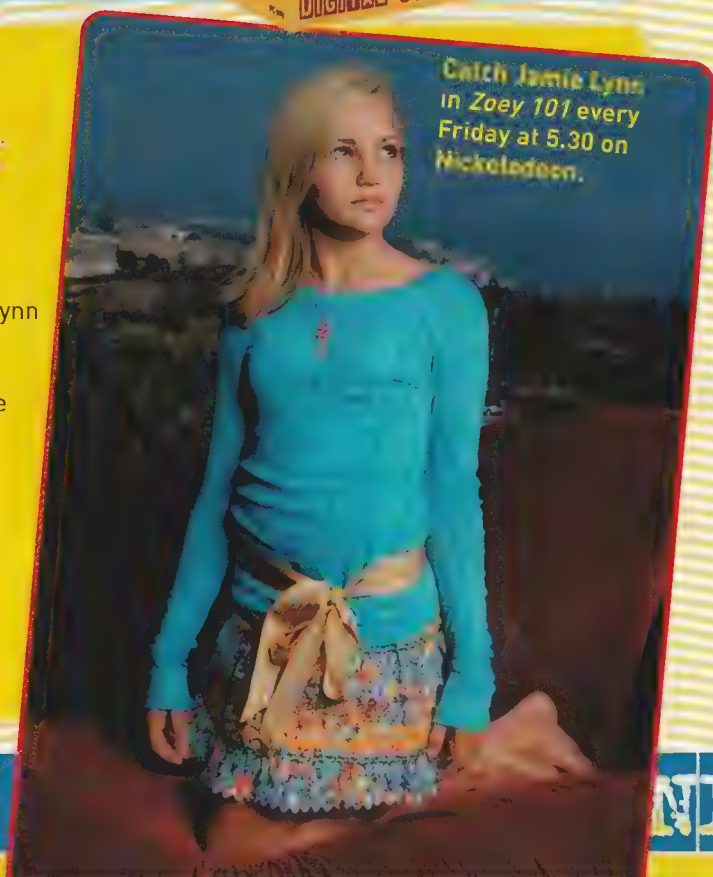
ick of seeing celebrity faces plastered all over town? With this new DigiCool camera kit you can snap yourself and your friends to stardom instead!

This pack lets you print onto stickers, pop-out frames and door hangers, or even use it as a webcam. Better yet, print your face onto a tee-shirt transfer and create your own personal clothing range!



## Jamie Lynn lets it slip

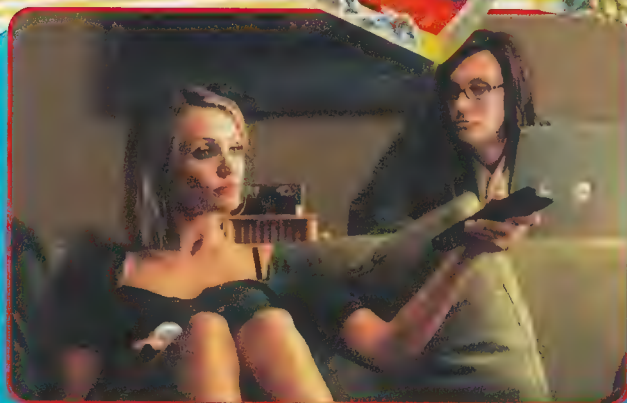
**P**roud little sister Jamie Lynn Spears has accidentally given away the best-kept secret in Celebrity Land. She posted a message on her official site announcing the exact day Britney's baby is due, and says she's already been shopping for cute baby clothes. Trouble is, no one was supposed to know the date and the message was pulled off quick smart ... whoops!





## Fistful of Fun

**G**et ready for more wicked warriors in the second *Fistful of Power* series. The Prophecy. Battle through six new regions with Seer, the only new fighter to match the power of Xan. Will this evil little plastic figurine, sorry, warlord, finally be defeated? Gather your army and throw down the challenge!



## Walk this way

**C**ameron Diaz left home at 16 to make it big, and as a member of the exclusive \$20-million-a-movie club, we reckon she's made it! Her latest starring role is *In Her Shoes*, where she plays Maggie, a fun-loving party girl who is forced to move out of her sister's house and ends up sleeping in the library! Check it out in cinemas from October 13.

## Ashton upsets Avril

**I**t looks like not everyone shares Ashton Kutcher's warped sense of humour. Avril Lavigne became the latest victim on his hit US prank show *Punk'd* after a car she was giving directions to rolled out of control and burst into flames! Poor Avril was so shocked that when Kutcher appeared to tell her it was just a joke, she burst into tears. Fair enough, too!



pening? Then read on...

## Jessica saves the day

**S**ounds like Jessica Alba's super-hero powers aren't just for the big screen. When the *Fantastic Four* star overheard an elderly couple worried about missing their grandson's birthday party, good ol' Jess stepped in faster than a speeding bullet and gave them a ride in her waiting limo!

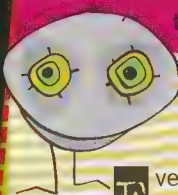


## Christina nose best

**C**hristina Ricci is set to start filming her latest movie *Penelope*, and she'll be sporting a brand new look ... a pig's nose! Yep that's right, she plays a girl who's been cursed with a piggy snout and sets out to end her unlucky streak. But she almost missed out making the movie at all, 'cos her agent was afraid to send her the script - he thought she'd be offended!

## Get in touch

**E**ver wondered quite what someone meant in an email conversation? Well, say exactly what you mean with these super-cute emoticons. Turn your head to the side and check out them out!



- :-D** smiling; agreeing
- ;-)** winking; just kidding
- 8-O** Omigod!
- (::O::)** Bandid, offering help or support
- :-X** My lips are sealed
- :-{** Blowing a kiss





Want to know what's hot on t

# DVD and Video

## Couch Potato



Fire-breathing dragons – the most famous creatures that never lived.

Or did they? Find out with this blend of fantasy and nature that investigates the imaginary discovery of a dragon corpse. The special effects will blow you away!



is invaded by Tiny sauruses, and Littlefoot learns a big lesson about lying. Beware the addictive new songs!



### Scope

Ever wondered how planes fly? Or if robots could take over the world? Scope out the answers to all

those pesky questions about science, life, and the molecules in between with kooky Dr Rob.

**Channel 10, 4pm from September 19**



You'll go ga-ga over this mega-cute series about a lion cub. Kimba survives jungle living with a bunch of brilliant adventures – think *The Lion King* crossed with classic anime like *Astroboy*.



You'll be laughing out loud at this, even if you haven't seen the first flick. Everything's going smoothly with Stitch and his adopted family as they plan a huge Hula festival. But Stitch suddenly starts acting strangely.



### Lyndal's Lifeline

Lyndal Davies has a wicked job – travelling around the world saving gorgeous animals like bears, chimps and new-born elephants! The world votes on which



animal cause gets some extra cash – could it be our own koalas?

**Animal Planet, October 3 to 9, at 9.30pm.**



We all have a soft spot for these dinosaur dudes. This time, the Great Valley

Want to know what's hot on t



the box? Then pull up a chair...

## Cartoon Network Hero Awards

Superheroes are a dime a dozen these days, but you don't meet heroes like this every day. Cartoon Network did a nation-wide search for five unreal kids to crown as honorary heroes, like ultra-smart primary school student Harry McCrabb!

Cartoon Network, 2pm  
October 7 and 11, 10am  
October 10

## Rugrats All Grown Up

We've all gotta grow up someday – even the Rugrats! They've graduated from the backyard to the schoolyard – watch Tommy Pickles and the gang deal with pimples and peer



## Cool School of the Future

The new *Phil of the Future* series had us thinking – what would a school of the future be like? We asked *Studio Disney* hosts Asha and Nathaniel ...

**DMAG: What would your school of the future look like?**

**Asha:** The chairs would be like a really comfortable couch and hover above the floor, so you wouldn't have to walk anywhere.

**Nathaniel:** A building with 10,000 different levels and a lot of flashing lights.

**DMAG: What sort of lessons would you take?**

**Asha:** Cyborg studies, futuristic vehicular studies, and ancient history: learning about the year 2005!

**Nathaniel:**

pressure using their same old cheeky ways.

Wednesday  
from October 12  
at 4pm

Marish, which would be a language from Mars, and P.E. where you'd learn how to use a light sabre.

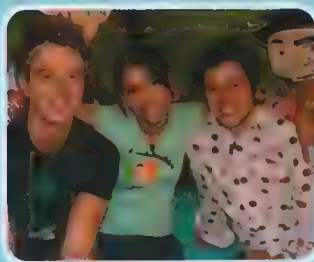
**DMAG: What sort of food would you have in the canteen?**

**Asha:** There will be a special speech recognition receptor, and you line up, tell it what

you want ... and it would appear in front of you!

**Nathaniel:** Food sticks – a small bar that's the flavour of your choice, like 'tuna sandwich' or 'packet of chips'.

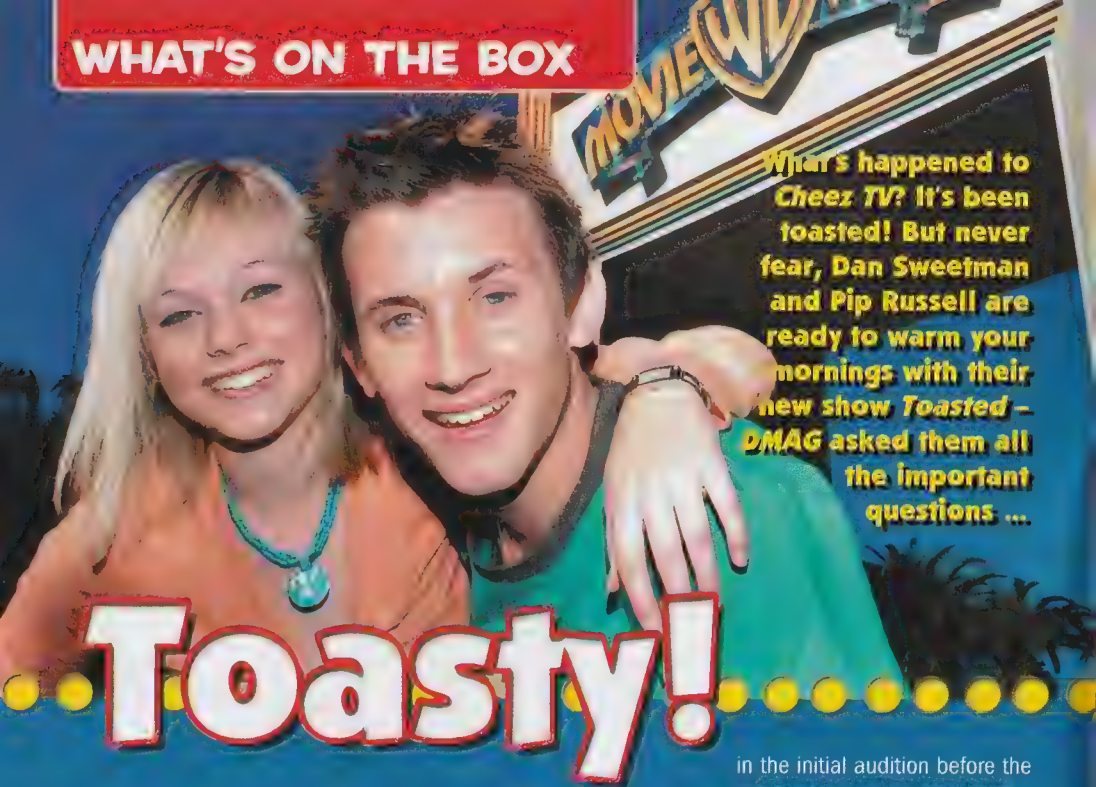
**Design your own School of the Future in Disney Channel's comp! Tune in from October 3 for details.**



the box? Then pull up a chair...



## WHAT'S ON THE BOX



What's happened to *Cheez TV*? It's been toasted! But never fear, Dan Sweetman and Pip Russell are ready to warm your mornings with their new show *Toasted* – DMAG asked them all the important questions ...

# Toasty!

**DMAG:** What's your fave topping on toast?

**Dan:** Love the Vegemite.

**Pip:** Vegemite or lots of butter with sugar 'cos it tastes like honey but it's better because it's crunchy.

**DMAG:** What three people would you like to give a toast for (as in say nice words about them)?

**Dan:** Jono from U2 – champion, Homer Simpson (laughs) and my dad.

**Pip:** My mum, my dad and my boyfriend Michael.

**DMAG:** What's better: toasted marshmallows, a toasted muffin, a toasted cheese and tomato sandwich or *Toasted TV*?

**Dan:** I'd have to say *Toasted TV* but coming in close second is toasted chicken and tomato.

**Pip:** Definitely *Toasted TV* but marshmallows also go down well.

**DMAG:** How did you get this job?

**Dan:** I auditioned for it, about seven times 'cos they kept getting me back in. I brought my guitar along and sang some songs for them. And I was kind of all around goofy and I got the job.

**DMAG:** What do you mean by goofy?

**Dan:** We basically improvised a little kind of hosting thing, and they kind of give us two minutes to get with a partner

in the initial audition before the real back it was all fairly short like making up a rap on the spot about a toaster.

**DMAG:** What was your rap – do you remember?

**Dan:** I was like ... I'm cool, I'm no coaster, 'cos I'm rapping down with my funky toaster.

**Pip:** I remember ... this is a toaster and it is white ... and then I just kind of explained how to use it and I grabbed the cord and I was like "p-p-plug it in..." It was so much fun.

**DMAG:** If I were a kid at Movie World where you are filming this, is there a chance I'd get on your show?

**Dan:** Oh yeah, big chance, we're talking to kids all the time. Big chance.

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## Bratz ready to rock

**I**t's finally arrived – the five funky chicks with a passion for fashion have just released their first album *Rock Angelz*! Think Ashlee Simpson plus Avril Lavigne and Gwen Stefani, multiply by the Spice Girls and you've got the Bratz. This dazzling debut is packed with solid, upbeat tunes like *So Good*, a pretty pop tune that explodes into a catchy rock 'n' roll chorus.



## Meet The Veronicas

**T**he music world's buzzing about these 20 year-old rocker twins from Brisbane – word is they're gonna be huge! Lucky for all you *DMAG* Dudes we've got the inside scoop on these

shooting stars:

■ The Veronicas, a.k.a. Jess and Lisa Origliasso, are identical twins who were born on Christmas Day! ■ They've been performing since the age of five, and were signed to an exclusive production deal after their very first demo.

■ The duo draws musical influences from all over the place: Roy Orbison, AC/DC, hip hop and R&B, then mix it all together with their own edgy flavour!

Their debut album *The Secret Life Of The Veronicas* hits stores October 10.





## REVIEWS

### Will Smith – Party Starter

Start a party in your lounge room with this red-hot single. The Fresh Prince struts his best hip-hop stuff with a heavy, pumping beat and groovy dance-floor rhythms – this single's got 'hit' written all over it.



### Chloe Crash

Screech into the fast lane with this catchy

pop single, a remake of The Primettes' 1966 hit song. Chloe delivers an infectious melody that'll have you singing along with every chorus. It's an easy one. Nan nan nan – get it?

### Ben Moody ft. Anastacia Everything Burns

From the hit film *Armageddon*, Ben Moody's pop-rock single, featuring Anastacia, is a fiery ballad that strikes a deep chord.



## Jesse fever

There's nowhere to run, nowhere to hide.

Jesse McCartney is everywhere this month! As well as co-hosting the *Nickelodeon Kids' Choice Awards*, he's doing a four-date Australian tour to promote his album *Beautiful Soul*. Listen out for his latest single *Get Your Shine On* – this slick, funky little tune showcases Jesse's growth into a more mature artist. Oh no, look up your mothers!



## Hilary for President

She's a singer, an actor, a businesswoman and all-round mega star, but all Hilary Duff really wants to be is a voter! She's just turned 18 and says not much would change: "My mum and dad have already given me a lot of freedom. I just want to be able to vote." Trust us, Hilary, voting's really not that exciting...





## Super Sarahs

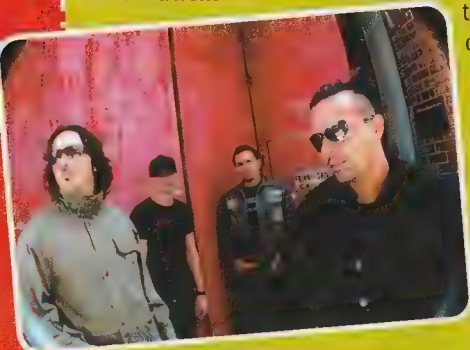
**T**here are two girls shaking up the Aussie music scene – and they're both called Sarah! The first is spunky Sarah McLeod, former lead singer of rock act Superjesus. She's also the big sister of *Inside Idol* host Leah McLeod! Look out for her forthcoming album *Beauty Was A Tiger*. But if



you're feeling a bit more down tempo, head along to see the other Sarah, Sarah Blasko – she's just been added to the Homebake line-up. See [www.homebake.com.au](http://www.homebake.com.au)

## Taxi!

DMAG shared a cab with Taxiride's lead singer and guitarist Jason Singh to talk about the new album *Axiomatic*...



demos to his customers ... he'd ask people "what do you think of this song". And then he'd tell us "these guys really liked this track and they hated that one." And we ended up forming a song list from that. We were called Taxi for two years and then we tacked the "ride" on the end.

**DMAG:** What are some of the silliest things about your lifestyle?

**Jason:** It's pretty crazy when people like what you do and they tell you all the time. I've worked

in clothing shops and you don't have someone coming up going "you're a real good salesman!"

**DMAG:** What are you most looking forward to?

**Jason:** We spent 12 months in our own studio in Melbourne so we're looking forward to getting on the road and playing.

## Woohoo Yeah!

**S**ounds like someone's excited. Maybe it's new pop rockers Curfew, 'cos *Woohoo Yeah* is the name of their debut album out this month! Look closely and you might recognise lead singer Nick Hardcastle – he's the host of ABC's *Creature Features* and online TV show *Rollercoaster*. Their first single is *State Of Mind* – but check out the B-side too – it's *Rollercoaster's* theme song!



**DMAG:**

What's your fave track on *Axiomatic*?

**Jason:** When I feel like being picked up, *You've Got to Help Me* is still my favourite and when I'm in a listening mood maybe *Shine On*.

**DMAG:** How did Taxiride get its name?

**Jason:** A friend of ours drives a taxi and he used to play our



# Win! The Ultimate Prize pack

**You can shine no matter what you're made of!**

From the creators of *Ice Age*, the fun filled adventure *Robots* is available to own on DVD from September 14

To celebrate the September 14 release of *Robots* to DVD we have 25 awesome packs to give away. Each pack includes *Robots* and *Ice Age* on DVD, Build a Bot book, magnetic puzzle and drawing board, stationery set in carry case, digital watch and lunch pack.



**To enter** draw a picture of Rodney's next invention. Send your entries to: Robots Comp, PO Box 321, Terrey Hills NSW 2084. See page 98 for terms and conditions.





# Really Rod

**I know what you're thinking: how could DMAG really interview a robot from a movie? Well we did and here's the proof – Rodney the robot's answers ...**

**DMAG:** What advice did you give to kids about following their dreams?

**Rodney:** You bet. When I first got there, my jaw just dropped. I mean literally. My jaw dropped. I had to pick it

up and screw it back on in a hurry.

**DMAG:** When did you first become interested in inventing: what inspired you?

**Rodney:** Mr Bigweld, of course. My earliest memory is sitting on my dad's lap and watching Bigweld on TV. He was inventing things to make life better. That's what I wanted to do.

**DMAG:** What advice would you give to kids about following their dreams?

**Rodney:** Go for it. Don't worry about failing, worry about not trying! You'll find strength inside that you never knew you had.

**DMAG:** You and the Rusties have become such great friends. What does friendship mean to you?

**Rodney:** We look out for each other. We know we can always count on each other And we know how to have fun! And they also let me know when this movie-star thing goes to my head ...

**DMAG:** What do you and the Rusties like to do in your spare time, when you aren't out fixing or inventing things?



**Rodney:** We've got a pretty good soccer team going. Piper, Diesel and Lug play forward, and Crank plays defence of course.

Wonderbot makes a great goalie with all his arms.

**DMAG:** How is

and Mr Bigweld got so carried away he ran over my foot. I was in the hospital for a week.

**DMAG:** I have been told Robot City is a very supportive place. How does that make you feel?

**Rodney:** They're the best. They always believed in me.

**DMAG:** Were you surprised when you heard the movie studio wanted to make a film

I loved it! I certainly related to the story and characters. The action sequences were awesome! And to those who say my acting was a little robotic, I say "thanks!"

**DMAG:** Did you find it exciting to be surrounded by so many other people who love the movie?

**Rodney:** Yes! Crank thinks it's going to sell out, so we're camping out at Robot City Video! Then I'm going to fix Aunt Fanny's TV so we can watch it!

# ney

it working with your idol – Big Weld?

**Rodney:** He's amazing. He's like a little kid, getting all excited over a new idea. Once we came up with a perpetual motion machine,

about your life, especially since you are still a very young bot?

**Rodney:** Surprised?! I was so excited I ran circles around Bigweld Plaza for hours. Cappy had Tim slam the gate down on me just so they could force-feed me some coolant.

**DMAG:** What did you think when you saw the final cut?

## Robots

**Out:** Now on DVD

**Voice actors:** Ewan McGregor, Halle Berry, Mel Brooks, Robin Williams, Amanda Bynes

*Rodney Copperbottom dreams of being an inventor and moves to Robot City where he meets the street-smart Rusties and uncovers an evil plan. We love the one-liners!*

★★★★★



# Willy Wonka:

IS JOHNNY DEPP REALLY AS WEIRD AS THE WILLY WONKA CHARACTER HE PLAYS IN *CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY*? AFTER INTERVIEWING HIM, WE DON'T THINK SO — ALTHOUGH HE DID ONCE WANT TO BE A DAREDEVIL MOTORCYCLIST CALLED EVIL...



By DMAG's UK importer,  
Sasha Pereira

**Wanna:** *Charlie and The Chocolate Factory* is about dreams being fulfilled. What did you dream about as a child?

**Johnny:** When I was a kid I wanted to be something from *Indiana Jones* to the first white Hunter (Glenard?) like that. I wanted to play guitar. I am now (I'm here, doing this).

**Wanna:** What do your daughters think of your films?

**Johnny:** I show some of my films to them... some of them! They did see *Charlie and The Chocolate Factory*, which made me really nervous because I was scared they were going to come home and say it wasn't very good.

but they came home quoting the film which is always a good sign.

**DMAG:** Do you think being a father has helped you with this film?

**Johnny:** I definitely think that being a father adds



# in DEPPth

**DMAG:** What is it about Freddie Highmore that makes him a great

## Did you know?

Only one actor – Deep Roy – played all of the of Oompa Loompas in the movie. He did hundreds of separate performances and they put them together digitally.

depths and texture just a few of wonderful things. Early on when I was working on the Wonka character and trying to figure out what he was going to be, what he was going to sound like... I would test the voice on my daughters and I wanted to work so I kinda let them in.

**DMAG:** How did you find the character-inspiration for Willy Wonka?

**Johnny:** We were all lucky to have the book to use as

source material. It was an amazing role in building the character of Wonka. Then in early conversations with Tim Burton – the director, we talked about various things like when we were growing up and we watched children's TV show hosts and the strange palette in which they chose to make them. We also talked about the weirdness of the world and the way it works and the way it's not what you see on the surface.

actor to work with?

**Johnny:** For me, I had the luxury of working with him on *Finding Neverland*, and the best way to characterise Freddie is that he is pure. He's honest, and the sweetest, most normal guy in the world. He's really, really – well beyond his years. Working with Freddie – all of us noticed – he just really ups the bar, because when he gets in there he really delivers 100 per cent.

## AND DMAG CAUGHT UP WITH FREDDIE HIGHMORE, WHO PLAYS CHARLIE:

**DMAG:** How do you relate to the character of Charlie?

**Freddie:** I think everyone can see the similarities in Charlie because Charlie isn't just a kid, he doesn't have a magic wand – he's just normal, just most people are normal... like me!

**DMAG:** Charlie has a wonderful relationship with his family –

how have your parents raised you, and what is it you most like spending your time doing?

**Freddie:** My parents are just normal – they don't treat me differently or anything. I just do what normal kids do... because I'm a normal kid! I do really like playing soccer, we didn't win last season, and one of our best players left the team yesterday, so that's not too good...!





Even though Jessica Simpson was recently married, she has three leading men in her life who are complete polar opposites! So how did she come to spend time with such different guys? Read on to find out...

By Lynsea Garrison

Nick Lachey drives ritzy, macho vehicles like Hummers, wears top-of-the-line polo shirts, gels his hair to perfection and gently sings words like "I do cherish you."

Bo and Luke Duke drive an orange, beaten-up racing car that's often seen flying through the air; wear flannel shirts; sport scruffy, ruffled hair and belt out occasional "Yeeeeeee haaaaaas!"

So what to these men have in common?

They've all spent lots of time with Jessica Simpson. 98 Degrees singer Nick is Jessica's husband and Bo and Luke are Jessica's cousins in her new movie *The Dukes of Hazzard*!

# Jessica:

# The Newlywed



## THE LOVELY DAISY

*The Dukes of Hazzard* is Jessica's first big film, and apparently, she's always wanted to play Daisy. "I grew up in Texas and Daisy Duke was always one of my role models," she told *itv.com*. "To be able to kick butt like that with a smile and come across as sexy-cute ... I always wanted to do that."

But Jessica wasn't the only Daisy Duke on the list. Britney Spears and Mandy Moore were also slated for the part. Jessica won the role when producer Bill Gerber interviewed her, according to *USA Today*. "She is young, moral, bright, gorgeous and Southern; everything that Daisy is," he said.



## JESSICA'S START

Jessica struts her stuff on the big screen in music videos and concerts. When she plays Daisy, it's hard to miss her in those short shorts and bikinis!

So it may surprise you that Jessica started making waves as a singer through her church where her father was a minister in Texas, USA. At 13, she toured with the Christian Youth Conference and continued with Christian music until the late 90s when she switched to pop.

## JESSICA ON TV

Jessica appeared in shows like *That 70s Show* and *The Twilight Zone*, but really hit it big when she and Nick starred in the popular MTV series *The Newlyweds*. How could anyone forget how Jessica thought tuna, the "chicken of the sea", was really chicken?

Other than getting your fill of *The Newlyweds*, be sure to catch Jessica in *The Dukes of Hazzard*.

## The Dukes of Hazzard

**Stars:** Jessica Simpson, Johnny Knoxville, Saman Williams, Quentin Tarantino and country singer Willie Nelson

**On:** September 15  
Daisy Duke and her cousins, Bo and Luke Duke, romp around town on a series of adventures as they try to save their family farm. It's based on the hit television series.

**See it if you liked:**

*Charlie's Angels*

**Stars:** ★★★★★

But if that's still not enough Jessica for you, she is also working on her star role in *Room Service*, a comedy expected to come out in 2006.

**So while Jessica is a one-man girl, she'll probably hang out with several guys, especially with her two country cousins, Bo and Luke Duke!**

## FAST FACTS

**NAME:** Jessica Ann Simpson

**BORN:** 10 July 1980

**FAVE RESTAURANT:** Chuy's, a Mexican restaurant in Dallas.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** J.J. Pierce High School - where she got homecoming queen two years in a row!

**MUSIC:** *Sweet Kisses*, *Irresistible* and *In This Skin*

**MOVIES:** *The Dukes of Hazzard* is her only one so far, but she also turned down a role in *Coyote Ugly*!



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# Time for a HOWL

DMAG got the chance to talk to the world famous Studio Ghibli film producer, Katsuhiro Suzuki recently about the making of this latest new movie, *Howl's Moving Castle*. Here's what we found out...

## What attracted them to the story of Howl?

Studio Ghibli's director, Hayao Miyazaki, was drawn to the Dianna Wynne-Jones story by the concept of a moving castle - castles of course don't

normally move!

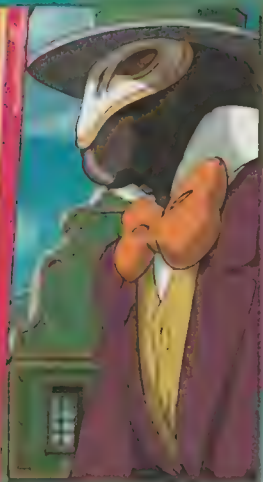
He was also interested in animating the aches and pains of a 64-year-old woman.

(Sophie, our hero, is put under a spell by the Witch of the Waste that transforms her from

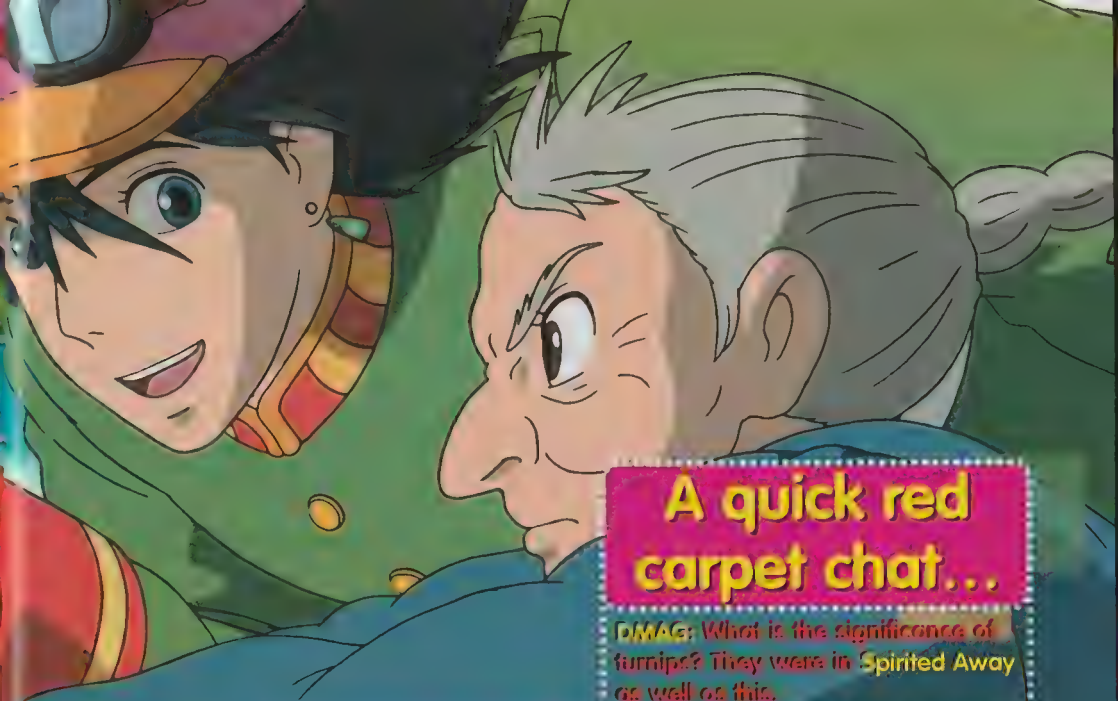
a 19-year-old girl to a 64-year-old). In fact, he apparently spent more time animating a sequence in which Sophie and the Witch of the Waste climb an enormous set of stairs up to the palace, than any other sequence in the film.

## What's behind the strong anti-war message in the film?

All Miyazaki's films tend to include an anti-war message. Miyazaki was four years old when World War II ended when atom bombs were dropped on the Japanese cities Hiroshima and Nagasaki, killing over 120,000 people.







## A quick red carpet chat...

**DMAG:** What is the significance of turnips? They were in *Spirited Away* as well as this.

Toshio: That's the first time I've had that question! The turnip head brought *Sophie* to the castle – that was very important. And he also he plays a great role in stopping the war.

**DMAG:** And the inspiration for the blob men?

Toshio: They're bad (laughs!) ... They're actually in the original novel.

**DMAG:** In the film, *Howl* turns into an eagle, what animal would you turn into?

Toshio: (Laughs) A rat. I was born in the Year of the Rat.



His earliest childhood memories are of the air raids over Tokyo. Having seen the destruction of war he feels very strongly about it. Toshio Suzuki says it's also important to note that *Howl* is not on either side of the war that is going on in the background of this film – he

just does his best to help save lives.

**Why are there so many flying scenes in all the Studio Ghibli films?**

Man has accomplished many things but not flight. Miyazaki wants to fly – and he does in his films!

**What's coming up for Studio Ghibli?**

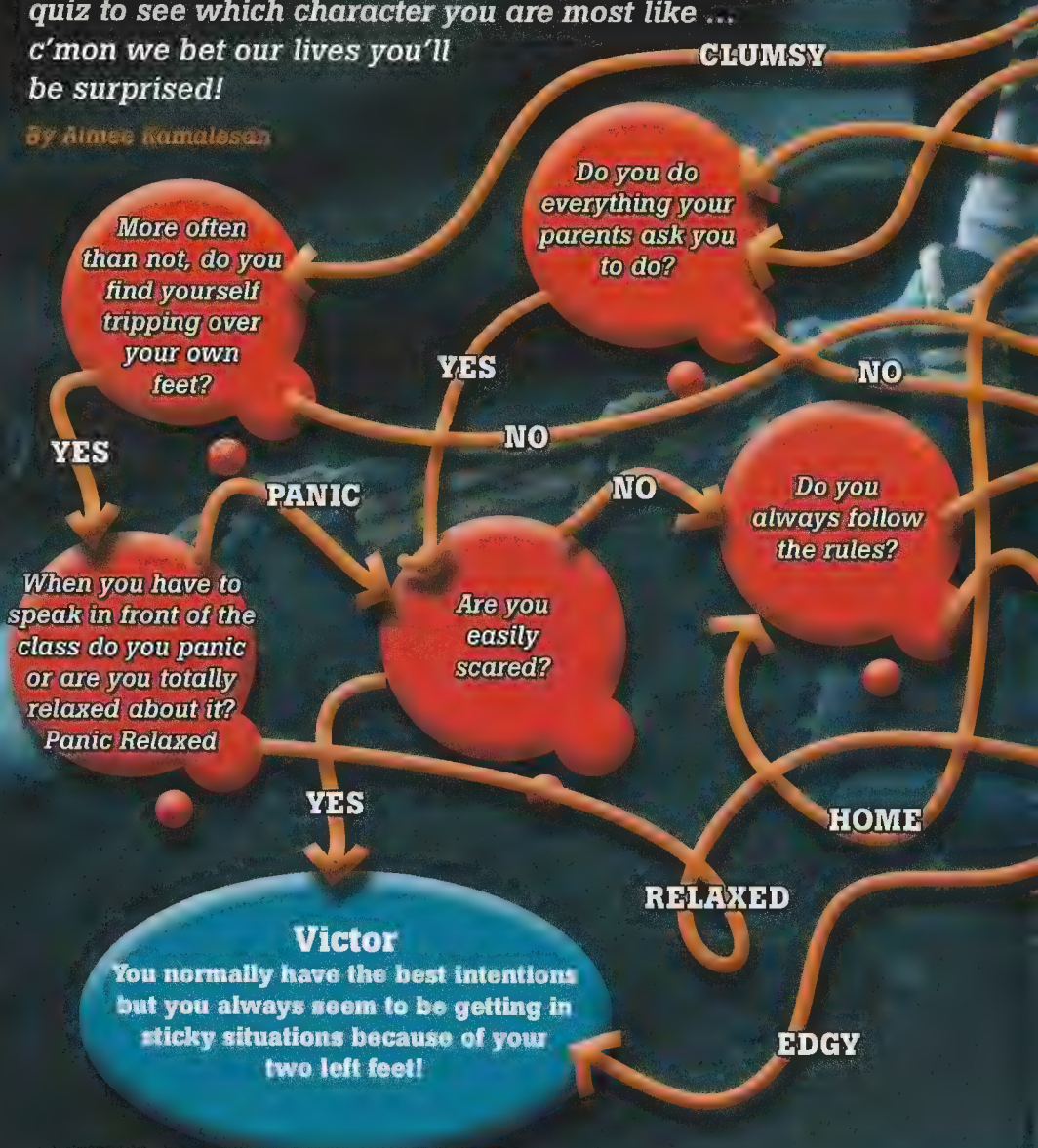
Our spies tell us the next feature film from Studio Ghibli will appeal more to younger kids, so maybe it will be like one of the earliest films, *My Neighbour, the Yamadas*. And like *Howl*, it'll be an adaptation of an existing story. In the meantime you can catch a couple of early Ghibli classics next month on DVD – *My Neighbour, the Yamadas* and *Pom Poko*.



# Corpse Bride Quiz

Rising from the grave is the new movie *Corpse Bride*. Take our quiz to see which character you are most like ... c'mon we bet our lives you'll be surprised!

By Aimee Kamaleison





## START

Which word best describes you?

## MYSTERIOUS

When you meet someone new are you normally shy and nervous around them or are you confident and in control?

## LOUD

## SHY

## POLITE

On the weekend would you rather stay at home reading a book or play outside with your friends?

## NO

When you set your mind on something do you normally achieve it?

## YES

## PATIENT

When you're waiting in line to buy something, are you normally patient or do you get edgy?

## OUT

## YES

## NO

## Corpse Bride

You're mysterious and confident in whatever you do. You never rest till you get your way and you take everything to the grave.

## Victoria

Like Victoria, you are well mannered but you are also shy, you allow people to tell you what to do which may conflict with your emotions

## Tim Burton's Corpse Bride

**Out:** October 27

**Stars:** Johnny Depp, Helena Bonham Carter  
Whisked away to the Underworld by a clutching Corpse Bride, young Victorian gent Victor is desperate to get back in the world of the living and his fiancé Victoria.  
Marvellously nightmarish (but not really too scary!)

**See it if you liked:** *A Nightmare Before Christmas*

★★★★★



## Super Frog Glue

**A** sticky goo scraped from the backs of the holy cross-load could revolutionise the way our wounds heal! Scientists have already used the glue to repair knee cartilage in ten sheep, and they reckon the substance could be used as a glue to stick together human flesh and internal wounds while they're healing. Researchers are trying to come up with their own synthetic version of the glue, so they don't have to scrape the backs of any more poor toads!



## ALIEN JELLYFISH

**R**unaway moon jellyfish from Japan and Europe have been hitchhiking to Australia on ships! Researchers have found that although moon jellyfish are found all over the world, most are not native to the area they live in. Scientists realised that natural modes of jellyfish transport, like tidal currents in the ocean, would never get a jellyfish all the way

## BUTTERFLY BRAINS...

**I**t's a question that's had scientists scratching their heads for decades - how do monarch butterflies fly thousands of kilometres without getting lost? A closer look at their delicate brain and eye tissue may reveal the answer, according to research





from Japan to Australia. Apparently the slippery little suckers have been stealing a ride around the world in the ballast water of ships (that's water ships use for stability) for the last 500 years!



from the University of Massachusetts in the US. Scientists found that the brain of a monarch is wired up to special sensors in their eyes, which only detect UV light. It is this connected system that guides them straight to their destination at an exact time after a two-month journey!

## LARK IN THE PARK

**T**here's so many bling-bling toys around these days, it's easy to forget how much fun you can have just hanging out in the park! So switch off your PlayStation [shock horror!] because



Parks Week is happening October 9 – 16 in NSW – meet nocturnal creatures after dark on a night tour of the Botanical Gardens, saddle up for a pony ride in Centennial Park or head out on a bike safari adventure at Sydney Olympic Park! Go to:

**The Botanic Gardens -**

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THE EARTH!**

**A**bout ten years ago, an adventurous guy called Dave Noble was hiking through a wild valley deep in Wollemi National Park, NSW. He noticed a few strange leaves, stuffed them into his bumbag and nearly forgot about them. Lucky he didn't 'cos it turns out he stumbled across the only known stand of ancient Wollemi Pine, a plant scientists thought had vanished with the dinosaurs 150 million years ago!

## IN THE NICK OF TIME

Scientists and park rangers launched straight into action to protect the precious pine - after all it's not every day you get a second chance to save a thought-to-be extinct species! Professor Carrick Chambers reckons it was like "finding a small dinosaur alive on Earth." And the few remaining plants could be wiped out by a natural disaster at any moment! Suspended from helicopters, officers

## DID YOU KNOW

Wollemi is an Aboriginal word that means "look around you, keep your eyes open and watch out".

# Our Dinosaur





collected samples and delivered them to a top-secret Queensland location, where the priceless leaves and seeds lay guarded by a 2.5 m high electrified fence.

## SECRET AGENT LYN

Two horticulturalists were given a top-secret mission—to grow the special seeds and save the

Wolllemi species from a second extinction. Talk about pressure! Lyn Bradley was one of the lucky green thumbs, and she calls it a “once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.” Once in 17 ice ages, more like! Along with her boss Malcolm, they’re the only two people in the entire world who know all the secret tricks to growing the Wolllemi pine.



# Tree



Secret agent Lyn  
and her babies



## JUST LIKE A CHOCOLATE MILKSHAKE?

So you're probably wondering what these incredible plants look like! Well, no wonder the

dinosaurs took such a fancy to eating them – apparently their bark is brown, bubbly and looks just like Coco Pops! At about forty metres tall they tower above the forest canopy, and get this – they drop foliage

in the shape of stegosaurus tails!

## FAST FACTS

**NAME:** Wollemi Pine

**LIVES:** 200km NW of Sydney in a deep rainforest gorge

**APPEARANCE:** Pine-shaped structure with dark green foliage and bubbly dark brown bark

**LIFESPAN:** Some are more than 1000 years old!

**SIZE:** Up to 40m tall and trunks 1.2m wide

**FAVE CONDITIONS:** These hardy plants can withstand a huge range of temperatures ... from -5°C to 45°C!

## MISSION: COMPLETE

The good news is that Malcolm, Lyn and their staff have lovingly raised thousands of these rare botanical babies – so the future of this ancient relic looks very green indeed. One day soon you'll even be able to buy a little Wollemi pine of your own! But for

## DID YOU KNOW

Dinosaurs of all shapes and sizes roamed Earth in the Cretaceous Period, when the Wollemi pine was thriving in the wild.

Birds and pterosaurs flapped through the air, while molluscs and fish

were hunted by massive water reptiles!

## Time bark or Coco Pops?



all you DMAG adventurers who want a sneak peek at these dinosaur trees out in the wild,

we've got a bit of bad news – the exact location of the trees is still top-secret, and guards are keeping a very close eye on any amateur bushwalking detectives...





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# Buzz off!

**WAIT, NOT YOU! WE'RE SAYING BUZZ OFF TO MOSQUITOES! WE'D ESPECIALLY LIKE MOSQUITOES IN MALARIA PRONE AREAS TO BEAT IT BECAUSE THEY'RE KILLING KIDS. BUT HOW CAN A LITTLE THING LIKE A MOZZIE KILL A KID? DMAG FOUND OUT ...**



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to buy mosquito nets for kids in PNG. He's been to PNG several times and has seen how malaria affects kids – here's what he says about it...

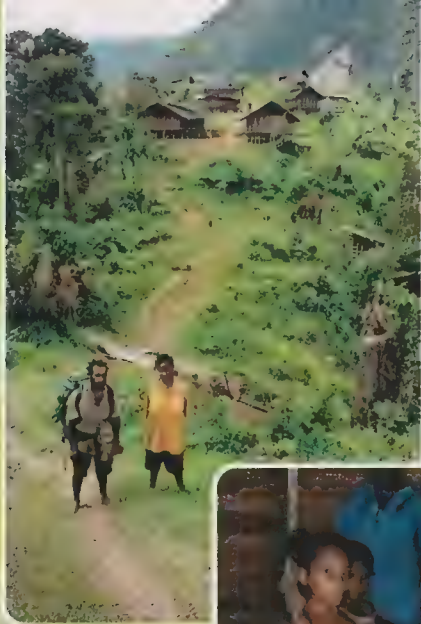
**PETER:** Malaria is particularly dangerous for children and 75 per cent (three quarters) of all deaths from the disease are in children under five. If a child survives until the age of five, it is likely to survive until adulthood. It affects children by causing a

**M**osquitoes in some tropical areas carry microscopic creatures called parasites in their blood. The parasites make humans sick with malaria. Luckily the mozzies in Australia and New Zealand don't have them, but in Papua New Guinea (PNG), Australia's nearest neighbour, they do.

Which is where Dr Peter MacDonald from Australian Doctors International comes in. Peter started the Buzz Off project







temperature, shaking, headaches and finally loss of consciousness and death. It can lead to death within a day of onset.

**DMAG: How do the mosquito nets help?**

**PETER:** The mosquito nets help by protecting the sleeping person who is under the net and they also kill the mosquitoes that land on the net (the nets have chemicals on them), thereby reducing the numbers of the mosquitoes in the village.

**DMAG: What is the best thing about helping the children?**

**PETER:** The children are very vulnerable and yet can be helped simply by having them sleep under the net. A cheap way of saving lives.


**DMAG: What's a typical day like for a kid in Papua New Guinea?**

**PETER:** In the rural areas, if

the child is not sick, he or she can play in the rivers, fish in the lakes, go to the local school (which is often only a bamboo hut) and help mother with collecting food and cooking. It is a simple life without television or radio.

**DMAG: How can other kids help?**

**PETER:** They can help by getting their class or even their school involved in Buzz Off. Each net costs only \$10 dollars yet it can save the person's life

 who is sleeping under it ... cheap eh?!

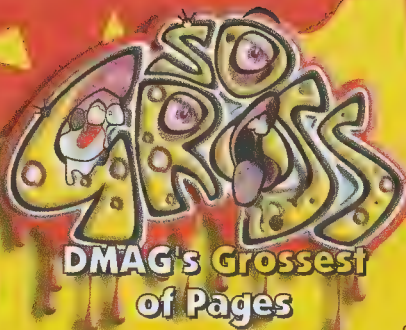
Some of the villages in Peter Macdonald's clubs are very remote.

**SCHOOL SAVED LIVES**

Year 5 Students at Narraweenah Public School in NSW helped save kids lives in PNG by raising money for more than 40 mosquito nets. Every \$10 raised buys a net for a family. As well as raising money, the kids learned about malaria when the Buzz Off Project came to school. To find out more, email [buzzoff@vodafone.com.au](mailto:buzzoff@vodafone.com.au)







## Why do we wee?

**P**eople wee, or urinate, because our kidneys take out of our blood any excess water that has been drunk or eaten. Then they send it to

our bladders, which hold our urine until we have to go. The urine we get rid of is made up of water and waste and how much we urinate depends on how much we drink and sweat!

Question from Alexandra Panzar



## Why can you see the air you breathe on a cold day?



**T**he reason for this may not be one you expect. It's not actually the air you're seeing, but the water vapour in the air. The atmosphere where your lungs are is a very damp place, so when you breathe out into the cold air, you're seeing the water vapour in your breath

condense, or become closely packed together.

Question from Shenae Dickason

## What happens if you don't brush your teeth for a month?

**F**irst plaque will form, which is a soft, sticky bacterial layer that grows on people's teeth. Plaque starts forming four to 12 hours after we brush our teeth so one month without brushing gives plaque about a 720 hour head start to make cavities in our teeth. Plus it hardens into a yellowy brown mineral deposit called tartar. And don't forget about the bad breath and bleeding gums! Yuck!



Question from A. Rocke

## Would you like us to answer a gross question?

Send us a question and the best three will win a *So Gross* book! Send your question, written on the back of an envelope with your name, age and address to:

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# POKÉMON

## They're back!

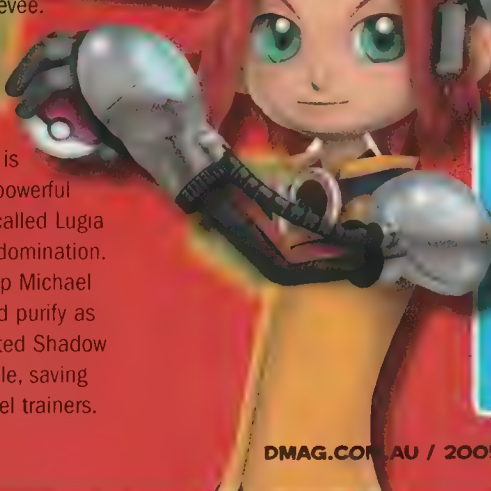
*That's right, Pokémon will once again rock your world! And the biggest thing this month is Pokémon XD...*

**POKÉMON XD: GALE OF DARKNESS**  
GameCube  
1 - 4 Players  
Rating: G

This Role Playing Game adventure picks up five years after the events of Pokémon Colosseum. Players are transported to the world of Orre, where they take control of a young trainer called Michael and his Pokémon partner Eevee. Together they must stop the evil plans of the ruthless Cipher organisation, which is exploiting an ultra-powerful Shadow Pokémon called Lugia in its bid for world domination. It's up to you to help Michael and Eevee snag and purify as many of the corrupted Shadow Pokémon as possible, saving them from their cruel trainers.

There are tonnes of challenges and fierce battles along the way, and only your skills as a Pokémon master will save the day, making this a must for fans!

REVIEW BY: Game Guru



**Pull-out guide!**

### VERDICT:

Pokémonians won't want to miss this! Slick 3D visuals, a solid storyline and an awesome 'VS Mode' that allows you to import your favourite Pokémon from GBA, Pokémon XD is a real contender for the best Pokémon game of the year - be sure to check it out!



### Fan File

#### NAME:

Oliver Craker

**PLAYING:** Pokémon Emerald

#### LIKES GAME BECAUSE:

I love to watch and read about Pokémon and now I can be like Ash and train my own Pokémon.

#### FAVE POKÉMON:

Sceptile, he is a leaf Pokémon and uses leaf attacks to defeat his opponents. The leaf attacks are very strong against the water Pokémon but against the fire Pokémon they are not so good.

Oliver's rating: ★ ★ ★ ★ ★



# Get the Power of POKÉMON

We have FIVE awesome Pokémon packs to give away! Each pack includes a Nintendo GameCube and *Pokémon XD: Gale of Darkness* game, a Pokémon EK TCG window tin, Unseen Forces Starter Pack and Booster Pack, Cyber Pokéball, Pokémon figurine, four Pokémon DVDs and six DVD singles. PLUS! 15 runners up will receive a TCG window tin, Unseen Forces Starter Pack and Booster Pack, a Pokémon figurine, four Pokémon DVDs and six DVD singles.



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# Pick your

# POKÉMON

*Reckon you know your Blastoise from your Blaziken? Then use your Pokémon powers of deduction to name these guys!*

**Signature power:** Always active. If forced to stay still for even a short period becomes agitated and goes on a wild rampage.

**Appearance:** White. The two dots on its paws, its nose, and the hair on top of its head turn orange, and its fur turns yellow.

**Battle History:** Easily knocks out Ash's Tortoise, but is paralysed by Pikachu's static ability. Pikachu lands enough attacks to knock it out.

## WHAT'S THAT POKÉMON?

**Signature power:** Changes colour to blend with its surroundings, allowing it to prey unnoticed. Then attacks with its long, stretchy tongue.

**Appearance:** Green lizard, with a yellow crest and eye markings. A red zigzag band



around its waist, and a long curled tail.

**Battle History:** Used by trainer Harrison against Ash in the Silver Conference.

## WHAT'S THAT POKÉMON?

**Signature power:** Has a place inside its body where it keeps its flame. Spits balls of fire.

**Appearance:** Orange baby chicken, wings and top three feathers change colour, covered all over by a fluffy coat of down.

**Battle History:** Very playful and fun, even if it's not the strongest battle Pokémon. In the Pokémon anime, May chose this one as her starter.

## WHAT'S THAT POKÉMON?



**Signature power:** Blows out intense flames from its wrists that leave toes blackened. Has





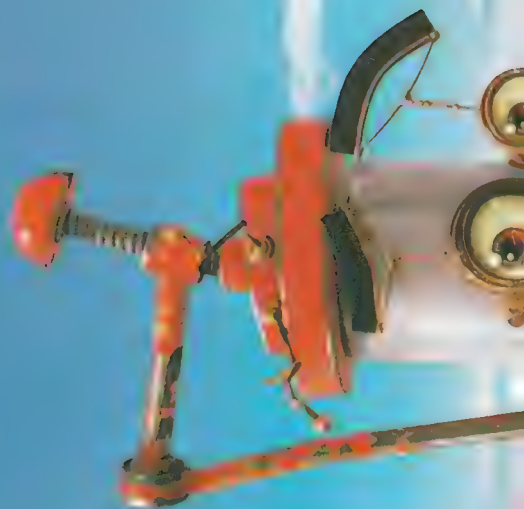


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**Battle History:** Ash has one that he caught in Petalburg Woods. A flock of these Pokémon tried to steal their food.



## WHAT'S THAT POKÉMON?

**All right smarty-pants, you win. Reward yourself with a peek at these classic Pokémon DVDs...**

incredibly strong legs, leaps over buildings.

**Appearance:** Tall, strong, red and yellow with white wings. Face, arms, and legs turn maroon, and chest turns dark orange.

**Battle History:** Was Harrison's best Pokémon in the Johto League, and he used it in the Silver Conference against Ash's Charizard and Bayleef.

## WHAT'S THAT POKÉMON?

**Signature power:** Stamina and balance, helped by its forked tail. Always stands its ground against foes and remains defiant even after a loss.

**Appearance:** Streamlined shape and light body to aid in ease of flight. Top half of its chest is red and the bottom half is white.



### Pokémon 6.3 Catch Ya Later

Hands up, who loves Pikachu? Ash does and he's scared. Pikachu's never even seen a crazy chameleon Kecleon before, let alone battled one!



### Pokémon 6.4 A Ruin With A View

Team Rocket is back! There's a whole flock of Taillow pitted against Ash and things are looking grim, until a mystery friend arrives to join Ash in the battle!



# Unseen Forces...

*We showed you how to play the Pokémon Trading Card Game deck with the newest expansion, EX Unseen Forces!*

## **New Pokémon and New Trainers**

The stage has been set for powerful showdowns! Bristling with power, new EX Pokémon emerge from this expansion with all-new attacks and Poké-Powers! There

are also new trainers and regular Pokémon to be reckoned with!

## **Building a winning deck**

It's best to include cards in your deck that help you draw cards, so you can quickly draw what you need to knock your opponent's Pokémon out!

## **For example:**

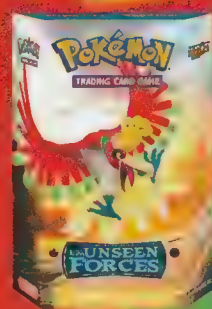
■ Porygon2's Data Retrieval power allows you to quickly

reset your hand to eight cards, allowing you a huge card advantage over your opponent.

■ Mary's Request, a supporter card, allows you to draw up to three cards if you do not have a Stage Two Pokémon in play.

## **The more Pokémon the better!**

It's really useful to be able to fill your bench with Pokémon. This will protect you from losing



## **POP GOES THE POKEMON!**

Have you managed to find the POP Series 1 Promo packs? Check to see whether you got one of the rare EX cards - Armaldo ex and Tyranitar ex!





# Hidden Power!

*in the last issue of DMAG ... now is the time to tweak your*

## A LUCKIER FLIP OF THE COIN

**I**t's a really good idea to reduce the amount of luck you are exposed to throughout your matches. Normally, when you flip coins for effects in the Pokémon TCG, it's a hit or miss affair. Here are some ways to get the most out of a coin toss:

**Celebi EX** puts the odds back in your favour, as both flip effects can be helpful to your cause! The **Safest Leaf** power gives ten points of damage to each of your opponent's Pokémon, even those located on the bench, or heals ten hit points of damage from each of your Pokémon.

**Celebi's Time Trap** gives you the ability to look into the future and change your opponent's destiny, or rig your deck in your favour. Whatever way the coin flips, you are guaranteed a great outcome!

the game when you don't have a replacement ready to go into play if your active Pokémon is knocked out.

Scyther's **Twin Play** ability allows you to search for up to two Pokémon in any combination of Scyther and Scyther EX to put into play on your bench. Using **Scizor EX** which

evolves from either of those cards, you can do up to 120 hit points of damage!



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# WEIRD SCIENCE

## CHICK MAGNETS

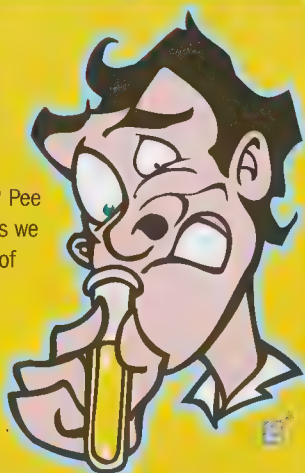
No we're not talking about guys who attract girls, we're talking about chicks that find their way using the Earth's magnetic field. Researchers have long known that birds use the invisible pull of the Earth's magnetic field to locate themselves when migrating, but they thought that

domestic chickens migrate wouldn't have this ability - wrong! It turns out even domestic chickens use magnetism to find their way around. Even young chicks have this inbuilt compass. Maybe we've at long last discovered why the chicken crossed the road...



## THE POWER OF PEE

Did we say pee? Pee as in urine? Yes we did. It seems a drop of urine is a powerful thing, powerful enough to produce 1.5 volts, which is similar to an AA



battery. Scientists have developed a pee-powered battery that is good enough to run a watch. But before you go "ewwww" - don't worry - no pee will be going near your wrist. Scientists are more interested in the battery for use in medical tests, and to power things like drug-testing kits.

## IT'S GOLD!



Imagine digging in your garden and finding gold jewellery - you'd be pretty happy right? A farmer's wife in Bulgaria was very happy with the necklace of golden rings her husband made for her from all the gold pieces he found on his farm. But the archaeologist who saw her was even happier because the pieces led to the biggest haul of gold jewellery this century. Scientists started digging around Dobene in Bulgaria and found more than 15,000 pieces of gold jewellery, which they think belonged to Thracian royalty between 2000 to 5000 years ago. The pieces are of exquisite beauty and are said to rival the gold pieces found in Troy. It's enough to inspire anyone to take up archaeology - or digging in the garden at least!

# Did you know?



**Ranger Mick here from the Australian Reptile Park. It's Eric the crocodile's birthday this month so we thought we'd celebrate with heaps of wonderful crocodile facts ...**

## Did You Know ...

that leeches love latching onto a crocodile's gums – but they can cause infections. To get rid of them, the crocodiles lie on the riverbank with their mouths open. Before long, a small bird called a spear-winged plover comes along, lands in the croc's mouth and eats all the juicy leeches. It's sort of like having your own personal dental flosser! And although crocodiles eat birds, they don't eat the plovers.



## Did You Know ...

that crocodiles can go without food for almost two years? They slow their metabolism down to a semi-hibernation state to conserve energy so they don't need to eat. This comes in handy if food is scarce!



## Did You Know

**You should never kiss a crocodile – except if you're from the Australian Reptile Park and it's Eric the crocodile's birthday! If you would like to meet Eric, then enter our competition opposite.**



## Did You Know ...

that crocodiles cough up hairballs just like cats? Crocs digest almost everything they eat ... hooves, horns, bones, even snails. But they can't digest hair.



## Did You Know ...

That crocs have reflective eyes like cats and can see really well in the dark.



Katie Twilley © Australian Geographic





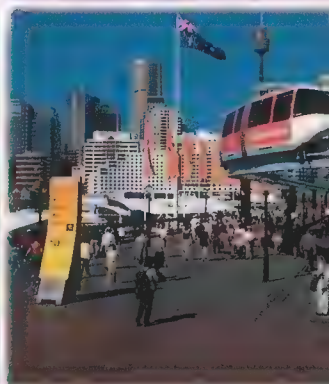
# Win a date with Eric the Croc!

**We have a snappy family\* prize pack to give away. The pack includes entry to the Australian Reptile Park, a BBQ lunch with Eric basking in the sun nearby, 2 nights stay at The Dooralong Valley Resort, full buffet breakfast included, entry to Sydney Aquarium and Sydney Tower, tickets for the monorail and a Luna Park Pass.**

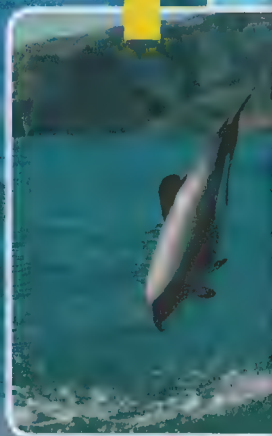
To enter, hop on the [www.doralong.com.au](http://www.doralong.com.au) competitions app log in as a DMAG member and follow the prompts to win.

All the prize winners will include the following competition number to be eligible to win DM043 9473. See page 98 for terms and conditions.

\* Family: 2 Adults and 2 Children



# hector's p



**Want to meet Hector's dolphin?  
Actually he has a few – a few  
thousand that is. Of course they're  
not really his – read on to find  
out why ...**

## WHO THE HECK WAS HECTOR?

These little guys were named after Sir James Hector, the curator of the Colonial Museum in Wellington, New Zealand. Sir James was a scientist who lived from 1834 to 1907 and was the first person to study the dolphin.

## HOW CAN YOU TELL IT'S HECTOR'S?

Apart from being the smallest

### DID YOU KNOW?

*Hector's dolphins are only found in New Zealand's South Island. And the Hector's dolphins that live on the west coast of New Zealand's North Island aren't Hector's at all! They've been identified as a totally different species with separate DNA, skeleton and body size. They're now called Maui's Dolphin.*

*This species is critically endangered, with only 100 to 150 in the wild.*

dolphin in the world, Hector's dolphins don't have a bottle-shaped snout like the more common bottlenose dolphin. And they have rounded dorsal fins (the top fin that sticks out of the water) – whereas most dolphins have pointy ones. Actually, "round" is a good way to describe these dolphins – they have rounded bodies and even round flippers. They're also distinctly coloured and patterned – check out our pics!

## SPLASHING DELIGHTS

Hector's dolphins usually swim in groups of up to 12. And they



# als!

Hector's dolphins love jumping out of the water.



seem to like playing around – they surf the wake of boats and surf skis, perform spectacular jumps, throw around clumps of seaweed and swim up to investigate people on kayaks and surfboards.

## DOLPHIN DANGER

Hector's dolphin is a threatened species that needs our help! Here are some things we can do to help save it:

- Don't litter – rubbish can easily be mistaken for food! If you see some rubbish at the beach, pick it up (carefully!) and put it in the bin.
- If you are in a boat and spot the dolphins, slow down.

Definitely don't chase them.

■ If you see a dolphin stranded on the beach, contact New Zealand's Department of Conservation, see [www.doc.govt.nz](http://www.doc.govt.nz)

■ Tell everyone you know that the dolphins get tangled and can drown in abandoned fishing nets.

## DOLPHIN SAVIOURS

If you want to do more, join a local conservation group. The Whale and Dolphin Conservation

Society (WDCS) and the The World Wildlife Fund (WWF) are two good ones, and both have "adopt a dolphin" programs. The WWF is raising money for aerial tracking of Hector's dolphins and the WDCS is also doing masses of research. Their latest project is to study the small population of Hector's dolphins living in Te Waewae Bay, on the south coast of New Zealand's South Island. See [www.wdcs.org](http://www.wdcs.org) for more info.

## FAST FACTS

**NAME:** Hector's dolphin  
**LENGTH:** Up to 1.4 metres (it's the smallest in the world)  
**WEIGHT:** Average 45 kilograms  
**EATS:** Shallow water sea creatures such as flounder, crabs and squid  
**LIVES:** Only near New Zealand's South Island  
**POPULATION:** Between 4000 and 7000

Dolphin photos courtesy Steve Dawson, Whale and Dolphin Conservation Society.



# Win a Dolphin!

**Adopt a dolphin  
for a year.**

The WDCS has 6 dolphins to adopt and their names are Billie (who likes to swim with race horses), Sparkle, Scarlett (who has a crescent scar on her dorsal fin), Spunky, Captain Hook and Rob Roy.

To enter, draw a picture of the dolphin you would like to adopt. Send your entries to: Dolphin Comp, PO Box 321, Terrey Hills NSW 2084. See page 98 for terms and conditions.



**WDCS**  
Whale and Dolphin Conservation Society



# Pick me!

I'm a perfect Christmas pressie!

Pick me!

Pick me!

Adopt a dolphin today, and you'll get a special box with 20 minutes with a dolphin. It takes only 1 day to a month. You will be looking Dr Mike Bossley and WDCS protect the dolphins of the Port River Estuary in Adelaide from development, rubbish and toxic pollution. You'll be sent a welcome pack with personal and dolphin information about our conservation projects and support. Adopt a Dolphin newsletters that include updates on your dolphin!

## Sparkle

She is the eldest named Twinkle and I have a new baby just born in January.

## Billie

Please pick me! I'm Billie, and one of my favourite games is to swim alongside racehorses training in the Port River.

## Pheobie

Pick me! I only just survived when I was a youngster. I got entangled in fishing lines and it took Dr Mike Bossley and his team a whole day to free me.

It's hard to choose between you but I've decided to adopt

☐ Sparkle ☐ Billie ☐ Pheobie

☐ for myself

☐ as a gift

Send to ☐ recipient

☐ me

PLEASE TICK

☐ Junior Adoption (under 14s)  
(Junior adopters receive quarterly newsletters and dolphin information.)

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☐ \$5 a month (by credit card)

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☐ \$79 OR

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(Ms/Mrs/Mr/Miss)

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Date of Birth

Telephone

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Monthly giving helps us reduce our administration costs and means more funds are available for our conservation projects. If your adoption is a Christmas gift please return your completed form by Monday 17 December. WDCS will not disclose your personal information to any third party unless required to by law, or, if needed, to a contracted mailing house.

## A-League kicks off

**Would you rather battle with the Knights or soar with the Jets?**

If you don't know, now is the time pick a side from the eight-team Hyundai A-League! The league replaced the National Soccer League and its first-ever game kicked off August 26. But don't worry, the season doesn't end until February, so you have plenty of time to catch some matches! For more info see [www.a-league.com.au](http://www.a-league.com.au)

### Dwight Yorke strikes!

So, you don't have a favourite player? Then Dwight Yorke is your guy because his moves are out of this world! Dwight played for Manchester United

and then signed for Sydney FC. He is the seventh highest goal scorer in the history of the English Premier League and has medals from the FA Cup, the English Premier League and the European Champions League!

## DMAG POLL

**Which team are you going for in the new A-League?**

- ☐ Sydney FC
- ☐ Perth Glory
- ☐ Newcastle Jets
- ☐ Adelaide United
- ☐ One of the other four

To vote, take our online poll at [www.dmag.com.au](http://www.dmag.com.au) and check out DMAG next month for the results!

## FAST FACTS

**NAME:** Dwight Yorke  
**TEAM:** Sydney FC  
**DATE OF BIRTH:** November 3, 1971  
**PLACE OF BIRTH:** Caribbean  
**WEIGHT:** 79kg  
**HEIGHT:** 179cm  
**POSITION:** Striker



### Shall we dance?

Ille! Sauté! Jeté! ... Ballet dancers around Australia will know these words, but what they might not know is the Sydney Dance Company



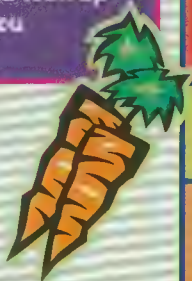
Dance Studios is holding an

Intensive Dance Workshop during the school holidays. So jeté to the computer and look up [www.sydneydancecompany.com](http://www.sydneydancecompany.com) if you want a great, ballet-filled holiday!

### The vegie edge

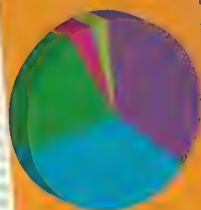
Get the edge with fruit and veg! That's the theme for National Nutrition Week from October 16. Fruit and veggies are important

'cos they fight off cancer and are full of vitamins A and C. We should eat seven servings a day. All you have to do is have strawberries on your cereal, grab a carrot for the bus ride home, have four vegies with dinner and you're on your way to seven serves a day!



Which sports star would you most like to read about?

Here's how you voted for DMAG's poll



Total 1065 votes

### October Sports

#### Athletics

9 – Melbourne Marathon

#### Cricket

1 – Festival of Cricket (Bowral, NSW)

5-7-9 – Australia v Rest of World – Melbourne

14 – Australia v Rest of World Super Test (Sydney)

#### Cycling

9-15 – Herald Sun Tour (Victoria)

22 – Melbourne to Warnambool

27-31 – Tour of Queensland

#### Golf

19 – Southern Cross Cup (Canberra)

#### Netball

29 – Australia v New Zealand (Wellington, NZ)

#### AFL

21 – International Rules Series Australia v Ireland (Perth)

28 – International Rules Series – Australia v Ireland (Melbourne)

#### Rugby League

2 – NRL Grand Final (Sydney)

#### V8 Racing

6-9 – Super Cheap Auto 1000 (Bathurst, NSW)

20-23 – Gillette V8 Supercar Challenge (Gold Coast)

## GADGET OF



*It's the gadget we've all been dying to get our hands on. Not only can you play videogames on it, but you can watch movies, play music and show friends your holiday happy-snaps with it. Of course I'm talking about the PSP! I took it for a road test....*

PLAY TEST OF THE  
SONY PSP

Sony's PlayStation Portable (PSP) is finally here and hand-held entertainment will never be the same! It's this



Hey gamers, we've got a blockbuster month of videogames in store. Finally, I've got my hands on Sony's awesome handheld console – the PSP – and haven't been able to put it down. So, I've thrown together a huge feature on the PSP and its games. Also this issue, we'll check out a stack of videogames and there's even a review and game-busta for *The Incredible HULK: Ultimate Destruction* – totally cool!

Til next time, keep on gaming....

**GAME GURU**



season's ultimate must-have gadget. The PSP looks the part too, with sleek black features and an enormous LCD screen that takes up almost 2/3 of the unit's face. The button layout is quite familiar and the console also supports wireless multiplayer gaming. Recently, I took the PSP for a test drive, and it totally blew me away!

The screen is huge, vibrant and crisp and the games that I played were great, featuring spectacular visuals and smooth animation. The most surprising thing was how well the cool little analogue stick worked, particularly



## THE MONTH



with racing games. So far, I've been burning rubber in *Ridge Racer* and *F1 Grand Prix*, both of which are a lot of fun. Other games that I looked at were *SPIDER-MAN 2*, *Tony Hawk's Underground 2: Remix* and *Untold Legends: Brotherhood of the Blade*.

All in all, the PSP may not be cheap, (its Value Pack RRP is \$429.95) but it's a

fantastic choice for those of you who want a handheld console that delivers more than just games - highly recommended!

## PSP ACCESSORY

**SanDisk Memory Stick PRO Duo**

While the PSP Value Pack comes with a 32MB Memory Stick Duo, you'll soon find yourself running low on space - what with all those film clips, photos, music and your all important game saves. The answer is to upgrade your Memory Stick Duo to one that has a larger storage capacity. SanDisk has a cool selection of Memory Stick PRO Duo cards, which come in groovy, see-through



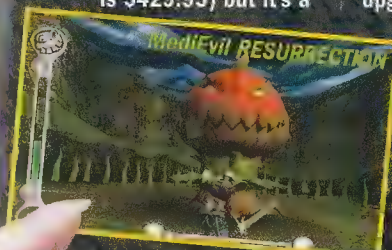
neon colours and a range of sizes up to 1GB.

VISUAL SNEAK PEEK:  
THE GAMES

Currently, the Game Guru is frantically playing an absolute stack of awesome PSP games to be reviewed in the coming months. Be sure to tune in next month for the first batch



of PSP reviews. Until then, check out the spectacular screen shots from some of the games coming up!







# COMING SOON



## Peter Jackson's KING KONG

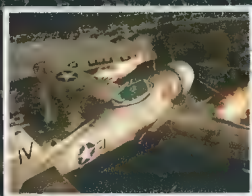
XBOX / PS2 / GameCube /  
PC / GBA / Nintendo DS /  
XBOX 360

Take the creator of Rayman, the director of *The Lord of the Rings*, add a huge dose of dinosaurs and a gigantic ape called Kong and you have a videogame blockbuster. Players battle for survival on Skull Island, encountering all manner of dangers ranging from deadly natives to dinosaurs and giant bugs. This videogame is looking awesome - I can't wait to go ape with it!

## HEROES OF THE PACIFIC

XBOX / PS2 / PC

I recently visited Aussie game developer IR GURDS and had a play test of their latest game *Heroes of the Pacific*. This is an arcade-styled aerial combat game



set in WWII and it totally ROCKS! It's a fast and furious dog-fighting experience that players won't forget. And it has a tonne of multiplayer options, including split screen and online play for up to eight pilots. *Heroes* should be out any day now, so be sure to take it for a test flight!

## THE INCREDIBLES: RISE OF THE UNDERMINER

XBOX / PS2 / GameCube /  
PC / GBA / Nintendo DS

Picking up where the movie left off, this is the sequel to last year's *The Incredibles*.

This time Mr Incredible is joined by his cool buddy Frozone and must take on the evil Underminer and his deadly minions. Players switch between Frozone and Mr Incredible, as they battle their way through the explosive levels - incredible!

# GAME R

## BOMBERMAN HARDBALL

PS2

1 - 4 Players

Rating: G8+



Bomberman is back! As well as the Classic Battle Mode, *Hardball* includes several





# REVIEWS



Bomberman-themed sports games – tennis, golf and baseball. They're all quite entertaining, but none of them measure up to the fast paced action of the original Bomberman mode. Sporting loads of options and some of the most entertaining multiplayer mayhem around, *Hardball* is sure to blow you away!



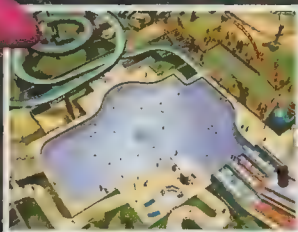
## RATING:

Game Visuals	84
Game Audio	78
Game Play	87
Fun Factor	89
Total Score	85

**ROLLERCOASTER TYCOON 2: SOAKED Expansion Pack**  
PC  
1 Player  
Rating: G

Here's the perfect expansion pack for *Rollercoaster Tycoon*

fans who've always wanted to make a splash in aquatic theme parks. Soaked is an add-on



to *Rollercoaster Tycoon 3* that lets you build swimming pools, twisted water slides and a tonne of other aquarides and attractions. Give your peeps a wet 'n wild experience they won't forget!

## RATING:

Game Visuals	88
Game Audio	84
Game Play	84
Fun Factor	84
Total Score	84

## THE NIGHTMARE BEFORE CHRISTMAS

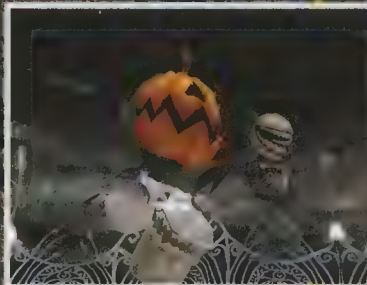
*Oogie's Revenge*  
PS2 / XBOX  
1 Player  
Rating: GB+

Based on the animated cult film of the same name, *Oogie's Revenge* picks up where the movie left off. Our hero, Jack Skellington has



discovered that the evil Oogie and his minions have, once again, taken over Halloween Town. Armed with a glowing green, whip-like Soul Robber, you must control Jack and stop Oogie for good.

Capturing the unique visuals and atmosphere of the film, *Oogie's Revenge* is a bizarre musical adventure that will make your hair stand on end!



## RATING:

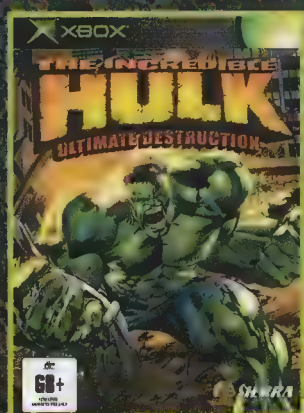
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Game Audio	84
Game Play	84
Fun Factor	84
Total Score	87







# REVIEW & GAME BUSTER



## THE INCREDIBLE HULK: ULTIMATE DESTRUCTION

XBOX / PS2 / GameCube

1 Player

Rating: **E10+**

Every now and again, along comes a game that delivers the goods. A videogame that's addictive, fun and impossible

to put down. The Incredible Hulk is such a game! From the time I popped in the disk and the over-the-top mayhem began,

I was completely sold.

Capturing the look and feel of the comics and delivering mind-blowing amounts of carnage, this game is awesome fun. Featuring stacks of missions, free-

roaming environments and deadly opponents - not to mention stacks of destructive HULK moves and combos - *Ultimate Destruction* totally ROCKS!

### RATING:

Game Visuals 91

Game Audio 86

Game Play 94

Fun Factor 96

Total Score 90

**CRITICS:** *The Incredible Hulk: Ultimate Destruction*

### SMASH

### POINTS

The



more carnage and destruction that the HULK causes, the more Smash Points he'll earn. Smash Points are extremely important as they can be used to purchase new 'special moves' that make the

HULK even

more

powerful and destructive.

**UNLOCKABLE**  
**Editor**

To unlock the following

### PLAY AS CLASSIC

### GREY HULK

To unlock the Classic Grey Hulk as a playable character enter: **CLASSIC**



## Ask the guru

Do you have a question for the Game Guru?  
Or is there a game you'd like to see reviewed?  
Then email [gameguru@gameguru.com](mailto:gameguru@gameguru.com) with your questions and suggestions.



# CHEATS, HINTS & TIPS

## PLAY IN BLACK & WHITE MODE

To unlock Black & White

Mode enter: **RETRO**

**GET 5,000 BONUS SMASH POINTS**

Enter: **SMASH5**

**UNLOCK COLOUR IMAGES IN CHARACTERS GALLERY 1**

To unlock the colour images of pencil drawings in the Concept Art Characters Gallery 1 enter: **COLORME**

Note - this cheat can only be activated once you have completed the whole game.

**UNLOCK THE AUSTRALIAN FLAG SHORTS**

Enter: **AUSSIE**

**UNLOCK THE JAPANESE FLAG SHORTS**

Enter: **FURAGGU**

**UNLOCK THE CANADIAN FLAG MODE**

Enter: **OCANADA**

**UNLOCK THE ITALIAN FLAG SHORTS**

Enter: **MUTANDA**



## PROJECT RUB

**Nintendo DS**

**UNLOCKABLE HAIRSTYLES**

Once the

Hairstyles are unlocked they will be displayed in the Maniac section of the game.

**Chao Hairstyle**

To unlock the Chao Hairstyle a Sonic Advance 3 GBA cartridge must be inserted into your DS while playing *Project Rub*.



**NIGHTS Hairstyle**

To unlock the NIGHTS

Hairstyle a Sonic Pinball Party or Chu

Chu Rocket GBA cartridge must be inserted into your DS while playing *Project Rub*.

**Sonic Hairstyle**

To unlock the Sonic Hairstyle a Sonic Advance or Sonic Advance 2 GBA cartridge must be inserted into your DS while playing *Project Rub*.

**Ulala Hairstyle**

To unlock the Ulala Hairstyle a Space Channel 5:



Ulala's Cosmic Attack or Sonic Battle GBA cartridge must be inserted into your DS while playing *Project Rub*.

## RIDGE RACER DS

**Nintendo DS**

**UNLOCK THE PLATINUM CUP**  
You must successfully complete all eight of the Grand Prix races to unlock the Platinum Cup.



## UNLOCKING NEW CARS

There are a number of ways to unlock new

cars in *Ridge Racer DS*. You can unlock many of them in *Car Attack*, after completing a Grand Prix and beating the Platinum Cup you'll unlock even more cars. You can even earn a new car by successfully completing ten multiplayer races.

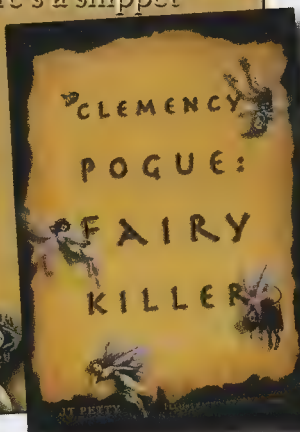
## DISCLAIMER:

While every effort has been made to confirm our cheats, hints and tips, we cannot be held responsible for codes that do not work, or for any negative effects the codes may have on your system. Please be aware that you are using these codes at your own risk and that some cheats may affect your game saves - so please be sure to back them up before trying out any cheat codes.



# Clemency Pogue: Fairy Killer

Want a funny read about wicked fairies? Then you've come to the right place. Here's a snippet from Chapter 3 of *Clemency Pogue: Fairy Killer*. We join Clem just as she's tripped over during a walk...



## CHAPTER 3

"STOP!STOP!STAHHHHHP!" a voice bellowed from the shower of dirt.

Clem considered falling backward from the shock, but decided instead to express her surprise with raised eyebrows, as she would not have stopped falling for quite some time.

The geyser of dirt shot up as high as the treetops, and then fell to the ground in sheets, dead leaves fluttering down more slowly. From the earth and chaos purposefully strode, on the squat little legs of a pig, a hobgoblin.

He was three feet tall at best. At worst, he was also three feet tall. His legs and one set of his ears were those of a very fat pig. Each of a second set of ears protruded from either side of his head, ears like those of a hairless rabbit. He had the face of a child, only with the mouth two times too wide, and the eyes three times too large. His great round belly suggested nothing so much as a pumpkin. Left to its own devices, his belly often suggested things like pastries, puppies, doughnuts, dandelions, maidens, or milkshakes. But to the observer,

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his belly suggested a pumpkin, for the skin that covered it and the rest of his body was tight and thick like the rind of a winter gourd, the color varying between a slightly yellower pumpkin-orange and the deep green of acorn squashes and alligators. Atop his head sat a tight-fitting metal cap that tapered to a wickedly sharp point.

"Well," said the hobgoblin to Clem, in a voice like apathetic molasses and not at all resembling the great bellow of before. "Now you've catastrophized every last thing." Then he added, for good measure, "Murderer."

Clem, shocked and discombobulated, was a long time in formulating a response.

"Murderer?" she managed.

"Certainly, you venom-tongued basilisk, you maul-muttering monster. Put seven more notches in your belt, fairy killer." His voice remained overwhelmingly bored.

"But, she was trying to kill me," Clem protested, gesturing to the gorge that held her deceased fairy antagonist.

"Oh, suretainly." The hobgoblin rolled his eyes. "Self-defendo on that account for certain, but what about the other six? If wishes were

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basketballs and fairies players, you've cleared the court."

"Six others?" Clem said. A glimmer of dawning sorrow appeared in the corner of her eye.

"Seven knives for seven navels and no point wasted on a deaf ear. Seven times you stabbed wicked with what you do and don't believe, and six times you missed before the last hit its mark."

And what the hobgoblin was getting at, slowly crept up on Clem and bit her on the bottom. She had not specified which fairies she did not believe in when she had said, "I don't believe in fairies." Before her misbelief matched her intentions, she had been killing fairies around the world. The phrase was like magic bullets she was releasing into the world that would find a mark, even if not the one she intended.

And certainly, horribly, around the world, the pleasant buzz of winged wishbringers was brought to a stop.

On an icy tundra in the heart of Siberia, the Fairy of Noninvasive Surgery was removing a pea from the ear of a little girl who should have known better. The pea, after the fourth of

Clemency's seven-time proclamation, had company.

In Salt Lake City, Utah, young Jeffrey woke to discover that not only did his tooth remain and he was no richer, but also that a dead fairy lay on the pillow beside him.

In Brazil a fairy prying open a book to teach a boy with love-dimmed wits how to write poetry fell dead and was crushed by words, her tiny fingers sticking out of the pages like twin rooster combs.

Good fairies far outnumber the bad, so the massacre was a mostly horrible thing. But a little good was done.

In jolly old England, for example, a Fire Fairy was playfully relighting the candle on a birthday cake over and over again, denying the birthday wishes of a little girl who had just turned five and was a little blue with her great expulsion of breath. The blue little girl had stopped wishing for a pony with a sidecar, and started wishing only that the candles on her cake would yield to her huffing and puffing. Thanks to Clemency's long-distance disbelief, the fairy was snuffed, and the candles soon to follow.

In Texas the stars shone a little brighter on a herd of cows who were being tormented by the Fairy of Random Prodding. When the fairy fell to the ground and was eaten by a mighty heifer named Sippy, the cows were so happy that they danced a jig. Passersby were convinced it was a miracle, and in many respects it was, for nobody had ever taught those cows anything but samba.



In Hobololi, Mississippi, a fairy fell dead in midair and dropped into the afternoon tea of a horrid little boy. A minute later the boy mistook her for a lemon pip, as that is what she felt like on her way down his gullet.

Around the world death had been scattered to fairies like seeds to pigeons.

"Oh." A tiny sound of infinite sorrow fell from Clemency's barely parted lips.

The hobgoblin had crossed his arms and begun tapping his foot. He looked down the length of his enormous nose at Clem with narrowed eyes that said *For shame, young lady, for shame.*

"I didn't mean . . .," Clem began. "I was being attacked, and—"

"And you didn't stop to think that maybe

an intricate bureaucracy of make-believe creatures were working full-time to not only stay beyond the edges of human eyes but also maintain a balance between the dark and light, so that the world never grows so overwhelmingly bad as to be evil or so overwhelmingly good as to be boring," said the ugly little messenger. "A balance that was nicely combobulated until your misbelieving banter threw a pixie-grieving spanner into the works and guaranteed twice the work for us survivors."

"I guess not," said Clemency. "I didn't think about that at all." She was at fault completely, helpless. She was quiet for a moment. "Can I fix it?"

"Oh, now she wants to fix it." It seemed like the hobgoblin had his answer ready, and had been simply waiting for the prompt. "Now the murderess wants to wrap a Band-Aid across the globe and leave town before it's time to pull it off, taking all the hair with it."

Quick-witted Clemency, however, realized that there was just such a solution.

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What's the solution? Find out by grabbing a copy of *Clemency Pogue: Fairy Killer* today!

# Little Fur

**Adelaide:** *Mama, what lives down there?*

**Isabelle:** *Trolls, trolls.*

**Adelaide:** *Are they bad?*

**Isabelle:** *Very, very bad!*

**And so began the legend of Little Fur...**

**W**hen author Isabelle Carmody was walking in Prague with her daughter Adelaide, the streets were flooded and a weird stink was coming from a deep dark hole under a building. It was clear that trolls lived there, or so Isabelle thought.

"Of course Adelaide wanted to know how come she'd never seen a troll and I said they only like the darkness," says Isabelle. "So Little Fur grew from her questions.

"Also, there's an incredible forest near the city called Stromovka and after the park flooded some really

old trees were gone ... so I said that Little Fur came from a forest like Stromovka – you could imagine wolves there."

In the book, Little Fur is on a quest to find out how to stop the humans from burning down trees. To do this she must cross the dreaded city, all the time keeping in contact with plants such as grass so she won't be cut off from

a life force. It's a bit like getting across a city by only walking on the cracks. So, we had to ask, had Isabelle ever tried this?

"I did. The reason it could be possible, is that in Prague there are cobblestones. After we wrote the book we were constantly noticing how much green there is."

But although Isabelle was inspired by Prague, the city Little Fur crosses could be anywhere – there are dogs, cats, owls, horses, even a possum in the story. Isabelle says the setting is small pieces of many places, and the forest is the forest of your imagination.

When reading *Little Fur*, you almost wish it could be real. And for at least one reader, it is...

"A really strange moment happened the other day," says Isabelle. "Adelaide

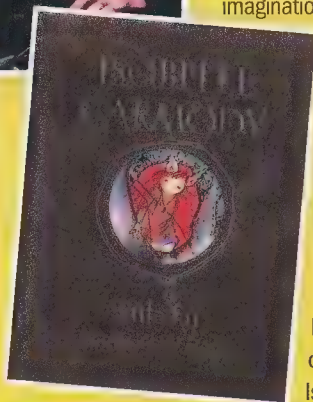
looked at me suddenly and said...

**Adelaide:** *Mama, Little Fur is real isn't she?*

**Isabelle:** *You think she's real don't you?*

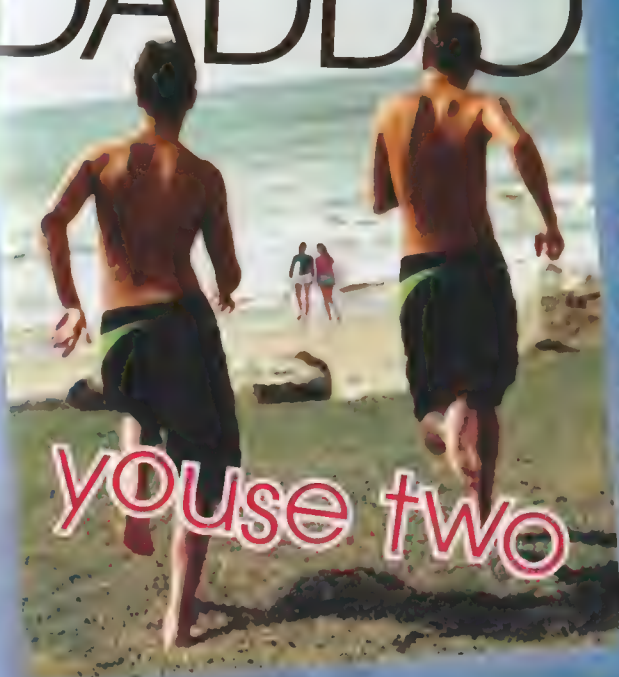
**Adelaide:** *Yes!*

**Isabelle:** *Well of course she's real!*





# ANDREW DADDO



Andrew Daddo  
writes about what  
he knows best...  
being a twin!

Jack and Josh  
Pickering are twins.  
Josh is the daredevil;  
Jack's the brains...isn't he?  
But only one J Pickering  
has made the cricket team.  
On school camp the twins  
are keen to hang out with  
the uber-babes.  
Jack likes Angela  
and Josh likes Jude,  
but can the girls tell them  
apart?

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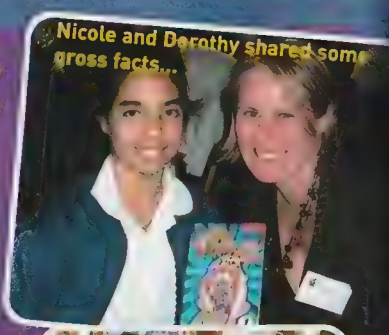
# Gross sneak peek



## Warning!

If you read this you might vomit, faint or just totally lose it ... so why are you still reading? Think you can handle it? Then here's the amazing news - DMAG's fantastically popular and revoltingly runny *So Gross* segment has been made into a book with over 100 gross-worthy facts! If you've been in a *So Gross* question that's been published in DMAG, there's a chance you're in the book too - how awesome is that! Plus,

if you're in Sydney October 4 come along to the book launch at Kids' Universe for book signings, slime and an incredible fart machine! See [www.kidzuniverse.com.au](http://www.kidzuniverse.com.au)



# It's Selby's birthday!

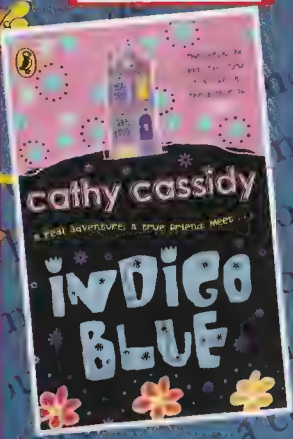


**C**an you believe it's been 20 years since Selby's first book was published? 20 years - 140



years - and he's still going strong. He's now starring in Selby's Shemozzle, Duncan Ball's latest book. But if Selby has his way, he'll still be famous in 100 years ... thanks to the time capsule he's making with Mrs Trifle - find out more in this fun-filled collection of short stories - you'll love them!

## Off the Shelf



**INDIGO BLUE**  
By Cathy Cassidy

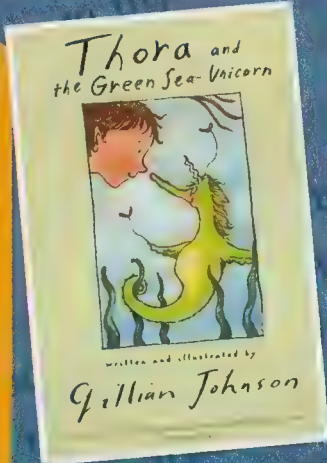
Indie isn't sure why her mum's making them move to a dingy little



He meets  
adventures here are  
the night the moon and  
he did not know all  
the time that had the  
secret, and then he had to  
beating with someone  
else and she was as  
wild? Was she teaching  
you won't be able to  
it's down  
Ages 10 to 14

when it comes to the class  
uber-babe, things heat up  
- which twin will she fall  
for? Funny and realistic!  
Ages 10 to 14

**THORA AND THE  
GREEN SEA-  
UNICORN**  
By Gillian Johnson  
A half-moon and a



named Thora, her  
mermaid twin, and a  
green sea-unicorn that  
whirls sparks of fire in  
the water - but this isn't  
the same thing as an exot-  
ic sea-creature collector and  
you are Thora!  
Especially if that collector  
is a mermaid! It sounds  
crazy and fun, but it's also  
lots of splash fun. We  
loved it!  
Ages 8 to 11

**NIGHTPEOPLE**

By Anthony Eaton  
Saria has an unusual gift  
- she can reach into the



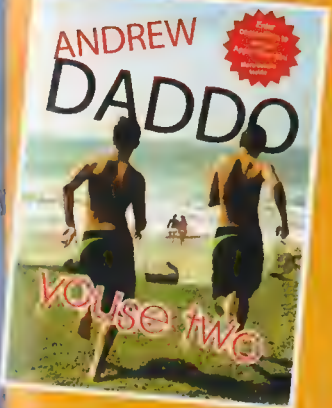
mind of living creatures  
and feel them. She happily  
uses this trick in the  
valley with Ma, but then  
Dariand comes to take her  
away across the  
Darklands, saying she is  
their last hope. But is he  
telling the truth? And why  
are they constantly hiding  
from the Nightpeople? A  
gripping look at the future  
that's eerily familiar.

Ages 12+

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**YOUSE TWO**

By Andrew Daddo  
Twins - they're supposed  
to be telepathic aren't  
they? Jack and Josh  
Pickering aren't very twin-  
like. Maybe if they were,  
they wouldn't have idiots  
like Terry Lossford  
punching them on the  
shoulder to see if the  
other twin feels it. Stuff  
like that isn't too serious  
though - but



## Readers' Fiction

### The Ageing Cream

By Paul Berriman, age 11

Once there was a boy called Basil. He was watching television with his grandma when an ad came on advertising an anti-ageing cream that made people look younger. He asked, "Why do you have to look younger? What about a cream that made you look older?"

"That's a good idea," said Basil's grandmother. "It could be sold worldwide and it could even be on television."

Basil thought a minute and then asked his grandma for a big pot.

"But whatever for?" she asked. But Basil just said, "Oh, don't worry, you'll see."

So Basil's grandma got up and brought him a pot. When she brought it to him she saw that he had ingredients everywhere.

"You are not going to make an ageing cream, are you?" she said. "I mean all these ingredients ... Well if you are, would you like me to give a hand?"

"OK," said Basil. "First pass me the wrinkle-putter. That needs to go in first."

So there was Basil and his

grandma in his bedroom making an ageing cream that would hopefully one day be sold worldwide. He and his grandma were having so much fun until they found they were done. The potion was a sort of pinkish colour and it sparkled in the daylight.

"But Basil," said his



grandma, "who would buy it?"

Basil thought hard about this and then came up with an answer. "To little kids, of course," he said. "I mean, when I was young I always got told I 'couldn't do that until I got older,' but with this, kids could look older and their parents would let them do what they want."

His grandma was very interested in this idea and went to get some containers to put

the cream in so they could take them to market the very next day.

That night Basil spent the evening drawing posters and getting some pamphlets ready to put in the letter boxes on the way to market. The posters read, "The amazing aging cream: Put it on and look older in seconds. Tired of being told 'wait till you're older'? Well now you don't have to! This cream is sure to solve all your troubles so come along to market and buy a sample. Small \$3.00 Large \$5.00. Today only, so hurry!"

Basil got tired and went to bed. He couldn't wait until tomorrow.

The next day when he got up, he saw his grandma putting the posters, pamphlets and the cream into a trolley. So he got dressed, had breakfast and then they were off to market.

When they got there it was very early so they got a good spot. After about ten minutes, everyone started coming and there were a lot of little kids, which was good. Basil and his grandma made a lot of money and that night they dreamed about what they would do with it.

*This month's winner, Paul, has won a \$50 Pymocks gift voucher and is in the running to win \$1000 cash!*



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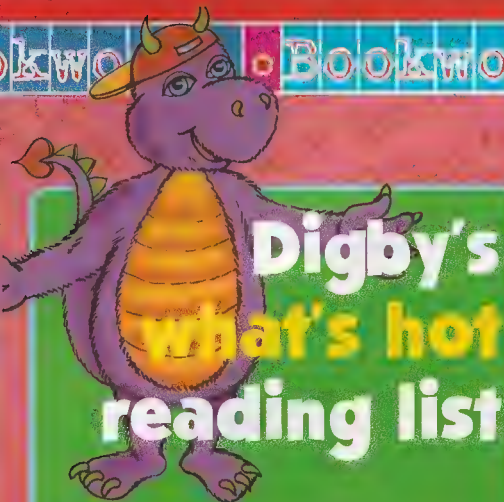
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THOSE DISHERS! UNLESS YOU CAN GIVE  
US SOME HEART! PLEASE TRACK HIM  
DOWN WE DESPERATELY NEED  
TO TALK TO HIM!



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# Lolly Love

**YUM YUM!** We've found a list of lollies for a surprise party (ours) - problem is, someone has written the list in code. We've unscrambled the first word - see if you can do the rest!

- |    |             |    |           |
|----|-------------|----|-----------|
| 1  | *✱□*□●❁▼*   | 1  | chocolate |
| 2  | ▼□❁❁❁❁      | 2  | _____     |
| 3  | ●□●●❁┐┐┐    | 3  | _____     |
| 4  | ▼❁❁❁▼❁❁▲    | 4  | _____     |
| 5  | ●❁❁□□❁❁❁    | 5  | _____     |
| 6  | □❁■         | 6  | _____     |
| 7  | *□❁■❁❁❁❁□▲  | 7  | _____     |
| 8  | *◆❁❁❁       | 8  | _____     |
| 9  | ▲○❁□▼❁❁▲    | 9  | _____     |
| 10 | ○❁□▲❁○❁●●┐  | 10 | _____     |
| 11 | ❁□❁●❁❁▲❁❁▼▲ | 11 | _____     |
| 12 | *❁■❁❁❁❁■❁   | 12 | _____     |
| 13 | ▲┐◆┐▲■❁❁❁▲  | 13 | _____     |
| 14 | *❁●●❁❁❁■▲   | 14 | _____     |

**SO THE BELOW SENTENCE SAYS...**

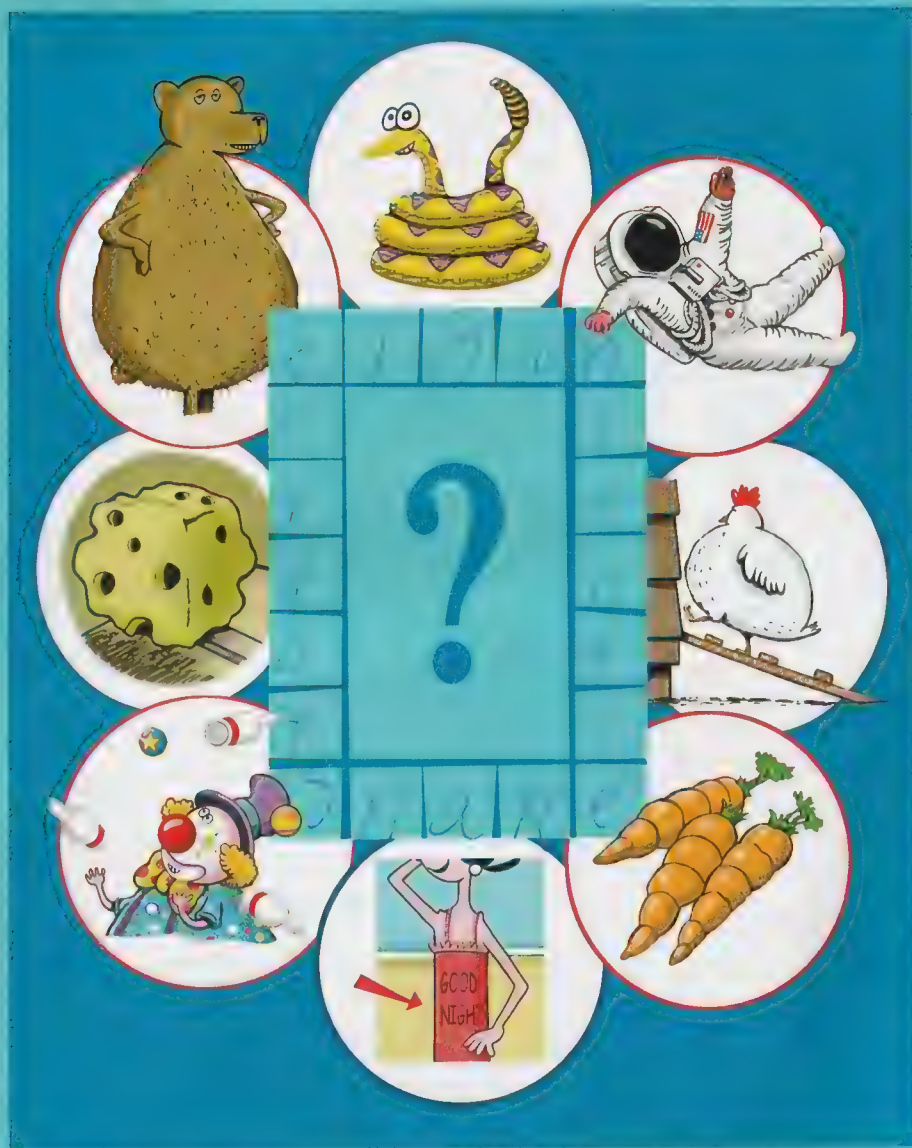
❁❁❁○□❁▼□□●●❁❁▲❁◆●●□❁●□●●❁❁▲!

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_!

See page 98 for answers.

# Cross-Pics



Here are 8 drawings, but only 4 of the words must be used to solve the puzzle.



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SUPERPOWER  
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TORCH, FLASHING PEN,  
SILICON WRISTBAND SET  
AND LONG SLEEVE T-SHIRT.

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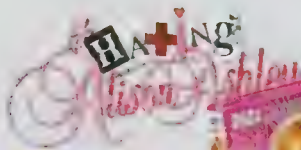
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Mild Violence

# D'Goodies...D'Goodies...

## Hating Alison Ashley

*Hating Alison Ashley* comes to DVD on September 7th and to celebrate this we have Ten awesome *Hating Alison Ashley* packs to give away. Each pack contains *Hating Alison Ashley* DVD, book, tee-shirt, wristband and a backpack.



# win

## Dr Who

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## Rescue Vehicles

Check out these new RSPCA Animal Rescue Vehicles, each vehicle comes with animals, and a portion of the proceeds





# D'Goodies...D'Goodies...

SON ASHLEY



## The Ultimate Fart Watch!

We have TEN noisy watches to give away. Just press the buttons, Wet!, Ripper!, Whoops! And Phew! And watch your friends squirm.



## Five Children & It



To celebrate the DVD release of *Five Children & It* we have 10 prize packs to give away. Each pack includes *Five Children & It* on DVD and a *Five Children & It* picture book.

### How to enter

For your chance to win, write the competition name on an envelope and send it to PO Box 921, Torrey Hills, NSW 2084, put your name and address on the back and answer this question: *What's your favourite movie and why?* See page 98 for all terms and conditions of entry.

from the tails of these toys will go to the RSPCA. There are four to collect and we have three packs to give away. Each pack includes a Sea Rescue, Farm Rescue, Wildlife Wet Centre and Wildlife Ambulance.

# Ned Kelly

By Mitch



WHAT'S GOING ON GUYS?

NOT MUCH



WHAT'S KELLY LOOKING CONCERNED ABOUT?



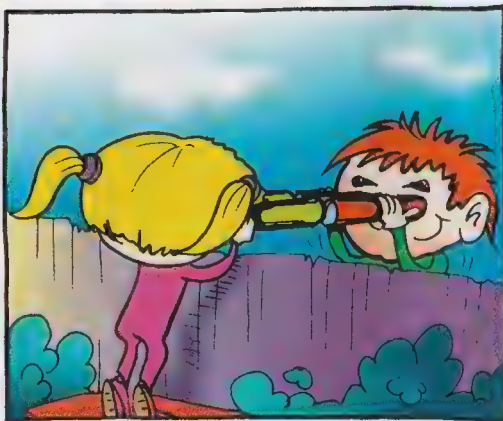
OH, WE HAVE NEW NEIGHBOURS NEXT DOOR!



STAY THERE, BACK IN A MINUTE!



WELL, LET'S SEE WHAT THEY'RE UP TO!





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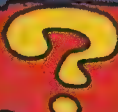
# WORT SNORL

FROG forensic detective

by Jones



HMMMMM!  
A SKULL!



BRUSH!

BRUSH!

FORENSIC

VERY CLEAN  
TEETH

BRUSH!

BRUSH!

NICE  
DENTAL  
WORK

CREAK!

SNAP!

OUCH!

SOMEBODY PASS  
ME A  
SANDWICH-  
I MIGHT BE  
IN HERE  
FOR A LONG  
TIME!

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END



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OF PAGES 1-4 FROM  
THIS COMIC

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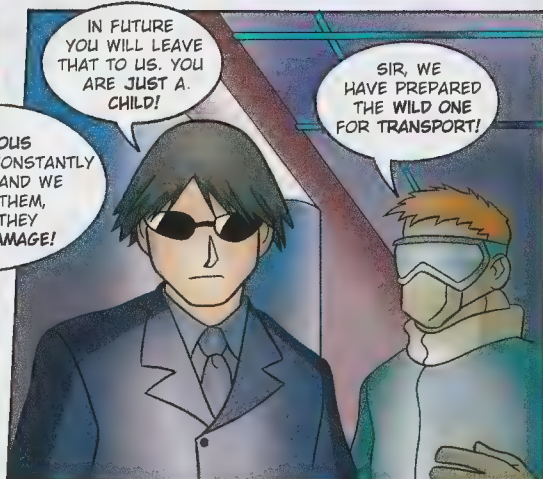








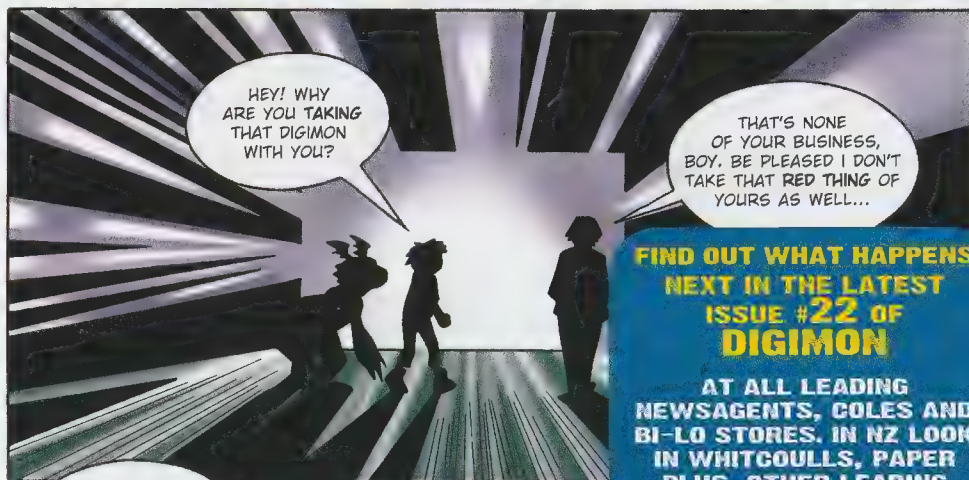
GAMES?!  
THIS IS NO  
GAME!



IN FUTURE  
YOU WILL LEAVE  
THAT TO US. YOU  
ARE JUST A  
CHILD!

SIR, WE  
HAVE PREPARED  
THE WILD ONE  
FOR TRANSPORT!

DAANGEROUS  
DIGIMON ARE CONSTANTLY  
APPEARING AND WE  
DESTROY THEM,  
BEFORE THEY  
DO ANY DAMAGE!



HEY! WHY  
ARE YOU TAKING  
THAT DIGIMON  
WITH YOU?

THAT'S NONE  
OF YOUR BUSINESS,  
BOY. BE PLEASED I DON'T  
TAKE THAT RED THING OF  
YOURS AS WELL...

**FIND OUT WHAT HAPPENS  
NEXT IN THE LATEST  
ISSUE #22 OF  
DIGIMON**

**AT ALL LEADING  
NEWSAGENTS, COLES AND  
BI-LO STORES. IN NZ LOOK  
IN WHITCOULLS, PAPER  
PLUS, OTHER LEADING  
BOOKSHOPS,  
SUPERMARKETS,  
NEWSAGENTS AND DAIRIES.**



TAKATO, WHO  
WERE THOSE MEAN  
PEOPLE? WHAT DID  
THEY WANT?

I DON'T  
KNOW,  
GUILMON!



...BUT  
THERE'S  
SOMETHING  
STRANGE ABOUT  
THEM!

**SPECIAL DIGIMON EXTRACT**

WATCH OUT AS ANOTHER SPOOKY SCHOOL DAY BEGINS FOR TOMMY AND...

THE CREEPY KIDS OF

# HORROR HIGH

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OOF! OUCH! YOUCH!

THERE GOES  
THE SCHOOL BELL.

NO WAY, SPIKE.  
BELLS DON'T  
GO YOUCH!



YES WE DO. AND YOU WOULD TOO  
IF YOU HAD TO WHACK YOURSELF  
WITH A HAMMER ALL DAY!

OOOPS, SORRY.

NOW GET A MOVE  
ON OR I'LL SET THE  
BLISTER SISTERS  
ON VER.

OH YUK! NOT  
BILE AND BOIL?

THE HALL  
MONITORS FROM  
HELL, I CALL THEM!

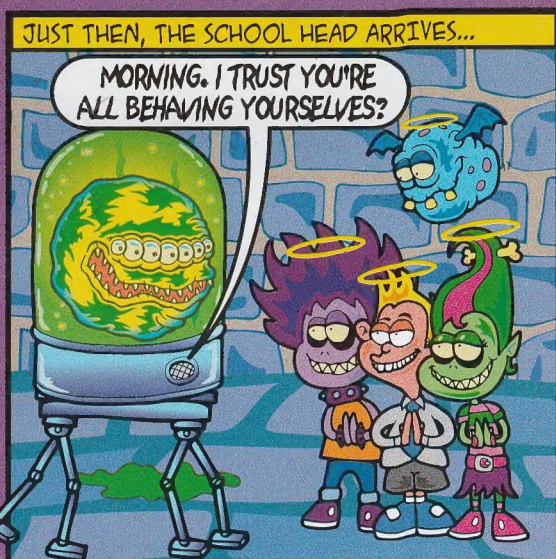
WHO SAID THAT?  
WE HEARD THAT, DIDN'T WE?

YES WE DID,  
WHO SAID IT?

WOW! I'VE HEARD OF A  
GRUESOME TWOSOME BEFORE  
BUT THIS IS RIDICULOUS!

RIGHT, THAT'S IT!  
DETENTIONS  
ALL ROUND.







# PUZZLE ANSWERS

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1. chocolate 2. toffee 3. lollipop 4. tic tacs 5. licorice 6. pez 7. crazy dips 8. fudge 9. smarties 10. marshmallow 11. boiled sweets 12. candy cane 13. sour snakes 14. jelly beans  
Dream of trollies full of lollies!

CLOWN  
A R R O T  
I G H T I  
S N A K E



## Winners! DMAG Issue 40

**Harry Potter Books:** Trish Nichols, Alice Beasley, Jessie Bolin, Brianna Pereira, Jayden Hyde, Natalie Moeller, A J Laws, Matthew Houlihan, Alex Daws, Henry Green, Stuart Dougherty, Anshu Nand, Johni Boy, Jane Cantwell, Benjamin Williams, Jacob Butcher, Max Wright, Carissa Calvo, Mee Wren, Shawn Nihdi, DVD Player: Hayley Caton, Zac Baldwin, Virginia Brown, Alex Fletcher, Zac Matthews, Colin Werner, Luke Miles, Tiffany Akseno, William Shaw, Peter Williams, **Mary-Kate & Ashley:** Jessica Stephens, Maddy Tyler, Harriet Jones, Michelle Scott, Lisa Watson, Rachel Curtis, Eliza Ridley, Tasha Laffey, Helen Jack, Kate Battams, **Fantastic Four:** Dytan McNamara, Ming Tang Chin, Sam Bost, Oscar Elsasser, Blake Van Bavel, Tarrick Frimpong, Ayla Batterham, Rachael Amies, Kaylee Jordan, Jacob Jefcoate, Sarah Carlisle, Lewis Barnes, Brie-anna Lucas, Bella Martini, Rhiannon Pye, Megan Williams, Sammy Paterson, Lukas Waight, Nic Martiniello, Mickey G, Emile Zangger, Laura Lidster, Sam Savann, Brandon Dunn, Alesha Adolfson, **Batman Begins Winners:** Matthew King, James Pavey, Richard Waller, Anthony Russo, Ricky Raffant, Blake Garcia, Adam Atienza, Rowan Tucker, Jack Hilder, Byron Miller, **Runners up:** Peter Jackson, Josh Harrison, Gordy Williams, Jeremy Richards, Harry Boge, Samuel Horne, Jake Opray, Hamish Townsend, Adrian Silvestro, Cameron Johnstone, Konrad Pregowski, William Tucker, Alex Waugh, Jayden Krieg, Oliver Masters, **AcceleRacers:** T Gravin, Casey Meehan, Michael Munns, Lucy Russell, Bailey Field, Jesse & Will Chaffey, Madeline Lewis, Connor Rausch, Jared Wright, Lachlan Maher, Mark Zepina, Shaun Bell, William Miles, Aleksandar Zarich, Macorley Edwards, Nathaniel Agnew, Luke Japon, Blake Skipworth, Micah Hamann, Rowan Tucker, Bryce Kenyon, Jaiden Worrall, Aiden Morse, Rohan Gardiner, Louis Cooper, **Dragons: Fire & Ice:** Trent Dean, Jontte Maroussis, Alexander Rath, Thomas Catchpoole, Bernadette Podesta-Meaney, Ryan Beeson, Luke Green, Michael Knight, Anthony Amato, Liam Cox, **AFL:** Jay Caton, Ethan Greech, Bryce Wells, **Duel Masters:** Rhys Beneke, Ming Yang Chin, Jack Kernan, Sean Sharrock, Ryan Abbatangelo, Hayden Bishop, Brett Tun, John Margelis, Melvin Nagi, Katie Dougherty, Alexander Whitehead, Tristan Cavarra, Lucien Turner, Marcus Cunningham, Travis Denny, Oscar Uebergang, **Jousting Knights Winners:** Alice Beasley, Benjamin True -Arrow, Benjamin Williams, Bethany Hamann, Bradley Cooper, Brianna Ashe, Brodie Ignatavicius, Bryce Wells, Campbell Hilzinger, Darcy Jones, Emily Dix, Gayathree Rodrigo, Helen Duong, Jessieann Shallick, Jorda Denney, Justin Kaye Solas, Leah Thompson, Lewis Barnes, Megan Law, Nicole Bester, Riley Warwick, Sam Eadie, Shannon Thompson, Thomas Woldhuis, Will Hilzinger, **Runners up:** Alice Clapham, Andrew Bloom, Conor Hey, Jacinta Mantle, Jamy Kei Virly, Jemma Woldhuis, Joshua White, Justin Torresi, Lauren Hancox, Monique Clare Siebenhausen, Paige Seymour, Sarah Herbert, Scott Merlo, Sharni Wright, Zachary Sims, Hayley Ferguson, Matthew Ferguson, Cameron Torresi, Wyatt O'Hanlon, Glenn Clapham, Lachlan Walker, Jeremy Karl Virly, Ryan Scott Johnstone, Stephanie Herbert, Lauren Witherow.

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# JOKES

A cowboy went to the motel on Sunday and stayed one night and came back on Sunday. How did he do it?  
*His horse was named Sunday.*

Three idiots were driving down the highway trying to get to Disneyland. They saw a sign saying "Disneyland left". So they all went home.

What did the fish say when it hit a wall?  
*Dam.*

Why did the belt go to jail?  
*Because it held up a pair of trousers.*

What do you call a bear with no teeth?  
*A gummy bear.*

What does a lion call a

hunter asleep in a hammock?  
*Breakfast in bed.*

What part of a car causes the most accidents?  
*The nut that holds the wheel.*

Why do reindeer wear fur coats?  
*Because they'd look silly in bathers.*

Knock knock.  
*Who's there?*  
Robin.  
*Robin who?*  
I'm Robin you, so hand over your money!

What do you get if you cross a skunk with a bear?  
*A Pooh Bear.*

What colour is a happy kitty?  
*Purrrple!*

What do you get if you cross a vacuum cleaner with a cat?  
*Don't know, but it drinks heaps of milk.*

Why is a pencil like a riddle?  
*Because it's no good without a point!*

Who designed Noah's ark?  
*An ark-itect.*

Why did the duck stick his leg into the laptop?  
*He wanted to have web feet.*

What goes, "Oh, oh, oh"?  
*Santa Claus walking backwards.*

What animals eat with their tails?  
*They all do as they can't take them off.*

## FISHY



by Richard Jones

FISH IDENTIFICATION —  
THE CRUMMY-NOSED BATTER FISH IS  
BRED TO BE SOLD IN MOST FISH AND  
CHIP SHOPS....



YOU WILL OFTEN SEE THIS FISH LYING  
ON TRAYS IN YOUR LOCAL FISH SHOP





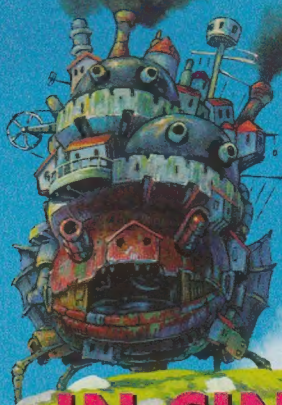
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